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ON THE FIRING LINE

Pulsebeats of the Warriors Shown by Tongue and Pen From Ocean to Ocean in Canada's Greatest Conflict.

Canadians do not buy one dollar's worth of anything from the United States to-day that they do not need, but on much that they do buy they must pay a duty, thus increasing the price by an average of 25 per cent. They would buy no more if the duty were taken off, but it would cost that much less and they would have so much more money to expend on things produced in Canada. That is one way—only one—in which reciprocity will help both producer and consumer.

BORDEN IN 1904.

Addressing the Canadian Manufacturers' Association in Montreal on July 21, 1904, Mr. R. L. Borden said:

"Was there any idea that a reciprocity treaty with the United States would in any way interfere with self-government in Canada? No."

That was only seven years ago. Why has Mr. Borden changed his mind? When the Conservatives wanted reciprocity it was all right. It was only after the Liberals arranged for it that Conservative demagogues began to denounce it as dangerous.

NO DECEPTION.

Calgary News-Telegram (Ind.).

There is no deception practiced. This pact is as open as candor. If America wanted us, why did they decline Cuba? If the American palm is itching for countries to conquer, why did they not take Mexico when that country was torn by insurrection and firing upon American citizens? If they pine for Empire, why do they train the Filipinos for self-government? They only want what we have to sell, in the interest of the citizens, not to enrich the national treasury. They are buying now of it, but the tariff compels payment by the weaker citizen to the stronger government. This tax they propose, with our concurrence, to abrogate, to the end that supply may flow freely and unrestrained to the point of greatest demand. Is that deceit? To charge deceit is slander. It is a measure of economic progress, extending enlarged commercial opportunity to you and to me. Let us view the questions as men, not as partisans.

There is something that is better than money, and that is courage. Nothing but a lack of courage to vote not as partisans but as business men will defeat the measure, and whether we agree with the captains of industry or not, we agree that Canadians do not thus lack in courage.

TORIES DEMAND ANNEXATION.

(From Speech by Senator G. C. King.)

"When I hear the Conservatives, not only in this province but throughout the Dominion, raising the loyalty cry I cannot help contrasting the condition of affairs which exists to-day with those which existed years ago when the leading Conservatives of the day signed that famous manifesto demanding of the mother country reciprocity with the United States and threatening annexation. That same manifesto which was sent over to England was signed right in the loyalist city of St. John by all the then prominent Conservatives of the day. It may sound like ancient history, but it was only sixty-two years ago. It was a business proposition then and not a question of loyalty. Matters reached such a state, in fact, that England in order to arrange matters satisfactorily asked Lord Elgin to negotiate a treaty for the Canadian provinces. The reciprocity treaty of 1854 followed and, strange to say, reciprocity, which to-day Conservatives fear will bring about annexation, resulted then in burying the annexation cry."

ANNEXATION SENTIMENT.

President Schurman of Cornell University at Winnipeg Canadian Club Luncheon, Aug. 21, 1911:

"I have heard less in twenty-four years about annexation in the United States than I have heard in twenty-four hours any day since I landed in Vancouver. And on that ground the newspapers urge the people to reject reciprocity. Any man who thinks that Americans are lying awake nights forming plans for the annexation of Canada is under a delusion which is fatal to sound thought and wise action."

"Not only has a trade agreement," he said again, "between Canada and the United States nothing to do with the political relations of Canada to Great Britain, but in the condition of sentiment toward Great Britain which now prevails in the United States, it would be difficult if not impossible, to secure the enactment of a measure which would in any way be prejudicial to the interests or subversive of the aims of Great Britain."

STRAIGHT BUSINESS.

(City Market Clerk MacMillan Vancouver.)

"I take second place to no one in British loyalty, but business is business, and it is as plain as can be that the natural course of trade on this coast is north and south. The dinner table is the strongest argument. If reciprocity goes through, the price of almost everything we handle will be reduced by the amount of the present duty. We will have a market here that can be called a market, and I have no doubt whatever that it will be full of produce, and full of people every day."

GERMANY IS CAUSE OF UNREST

CONSTANTLY THREATENS PEACE OF WORLD

Speaker Before Canadian Club Says Anxiety is Rapidly Spreading

Winnipeg, Aug. 26.—That the armaments of the German Empire are a menace to the peace of the world was stated by Rev. Clarence McKinnon, principal of Osine Hall College, N. S., at the Canadian Club luncheon yesterday. He said Germany had created a real anxiety which had permeated all classes of the Old Country, and was rapidly speeding to Canada. The peace of the world was constantly being threatened, and times seriously disturbed, and the stability of the British Empire was endangered. People could not refrain from anxiety when their public men, statesmen, journalists and commercial men, the men who formed the public opinion, saw the danger. There was something to alleviate the harm when they at times were assured that the grounds for panic were unreal, or that they could be easily met by forethought in preparing for the coming event.

The ground for the fear which was felt by the British people was the Imperial need of expansion in Germany. During the last 30 years the population of the fatherland has increased by twenty millions, and was growing at a rate that was greater than that of Canada. The annual increase was about a million, and as there was no room for expansion in Europe they had to seek outside shores, where they could send their surplus population. When they saw that the British people kept all the vacant lands of the world under their control, ruling in effect a fifth of the world, they thought that such a happening was a dog in the manger policy, and they resolved to build a fleet which would be equal to the British.

The second reason was the Imperial ambition of Germany. They had been for a long time the equal of any nation, but at the present time they found their place in the world politics passing. They had adopted the Bismarck policy of blood and war, and believed that they could match their foe with the sword.

OLIVER QUICKLY CAPTURES MEETING

Liberal Candidate Receives Enthusiastic Welcome at Chilliwack

Chilliwack, Aug., 24.—John Oliver had a splendid meeting here last night. The opera house was crowded, house, gallery and lobbys. It was a Taylor audience at the start but Mr. Oliver was in splendid form and captured the meeting. At the close Mr. Oliver was given three rousing cheers and a tiger, whilst an attempt afterwards to give three cheers for Taylor fell so flat that it was abandoned.

PATROLMAN USES HIS REVOLVER

One Man Probably Fatally Injured and Another Wounded in the Leg

Montreal, Aug. 26.—Two men were shot, one fatally, in a row which took place late last night. Emile Lisotte, 24 years, will likely succumb and Arthur Lemieux, barber, 22 years old, has a bullet in his leg. Arthur Peachry, patrolman in employ of Dominion Burglary Guarantee Company, who did the shooting, was badly battered. Peachry was walking along the street and got into a row with Lisotte. He was knocked down, but regained his feet and drew a revolver. Three shots were fired one striking Lisotte the other Lemieux, who had run across the street to see what was going on.

HARVESTING IN WEST.

Binders Will Be at Work on the Prairies Early Next Week.

Winnipeg, Aug. 26.—A further rise in temperature was general to-day in the west. Harvesting operations have commenced in most every district and by Monday or Tuesday binders will be working everywhere. To-day's bulletins from crop centres continue to breed optimism. Officials deny the complaints of harvesters who have reported in the east their inability to get work. It is claimed that every man who wanted work could get it, if not in the harvest field, then on railroads.

—Montreal Herald.

THE SAME PLATFORM

BORDEN—Some say this platform is big enough for us both, but we shall have to stick to this end if we don't want to come a cropper.

RIDICULES CRY OF OPPOSITION

SIR WILFRID LAURIER SPEAKS AT FARNHAM

Hon. Sydney Fisher Presents Strong Argument in Favor of Reciprocity

Farnham, Que., Aug. 26. — For the first time this week Sir Wilfrid Laurier yesterday addressed an English-speaking audience. It was in the old town of Farnham, with the charred and devastated area of the recent fire stretching in gloomy perspective.

The premier covered ground largely familiar in his address, but laid special emphasis on the ridiculous statements that reciprocity would bring ultimate annexation. These he denounced as insults to Canadian manhood. He said it would break his heart to have the reciprocity convention rejected by the Canadian people.

Hon. Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, made an address of unusual power, calling Mr. Sifton a timerous coward for his fears that reciprocity would lead to annexation.

About 5,000 people attended the meeting and acclaimed the Premier loudly. That some Conservatives were present was evident by a number of mild attempts at heckling.

F. W. Kay, the Liberal standard-bearer in Missisqui, and G. H. Bolvin, candidate in Shefford, both young men, were well received.

Hon. Sydney Fisher made a strong plea for reciprocity and was very convincing to his hearers, who are so close to the American boundary. If Great Britain was Canada's best market, why, asked the minister, has Canada exported seven times the value of sheep to the United States above that she has shipped to England? The comparative prices of hogs in Toronto and Chicago were $8.83 and $9.11 respectively. The cry, "Let well enough alone," is well enough for stick-in-the-mud, fossilized people, said he.

RUN DOWN BY TRAIN.

Boy Instantly Killed and Mother Dies in Hospital—Another Child May Succumb.

Bethany, Mo., Aug. 26.—A team of mules drawing a buggy in which were M. M. McQuerry, a farmer, his wife and two children, became frightened at a railway crossing a mile south of Ridgeway last night and dashed in front of a passenger train. Charles McQuerry, one of the children, was instantly killed. Mrs. McQuerry died in a hospital here, and Lucille McQuerry, six years old, is believed to be fatally injured. McQuerry was bruised but not hurt. The mules were killed.

EXPLOSION KILLS FIFTEEN.

Two Army Officers Among the Victims—Accident Caused by Carelessness of Soldier.

New York, Aug. 26.—Cable despatches from Port Limon, Costa Rica, tell of the loss of fifteen lives in the explosion of a powder magazine at San Jose. The dead include two army officers, three soldiers and ten civilians.

The explosion is said to have been caused by the carelessness of a soldier, who lighted a fire with which to melt lead for casting lime images of saints which he sold.

PLAIN TRUTHS

One of the arguments used by the opponents of reciprocity is that it will reduce wages. It is not at all surprising that the emissaries of the privileged interests should endeavor to saturate the minds of the wage earners with this idea.

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To-day the United States is in the grip of a few men, to whom all the rest pay daily toll. This has been brought about by a protective tariff.

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On this side of the line the opponents of reciprocity argue that if reciprocity passes the working man in Canada will be in the direful condition of men out of work in the United States. They forget to point out that it is under a protective tariff that present conditions exists in the United States, and yet the very protective tariff which has brought about present conditions in the United States, the opponents of reciprocity would indefinitely perpetuate in Canada, to the further mulcting of the masses of the Canadian people.

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Labor, like capital, is exceedingly timid, and all too often casts its vote for the man who frightens it, the very man of all others of whom it should beware.

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Cheaper food does not mean cheaper labor. To British Columbia it means a greater demand for labor through the establishment of more industries, and in consequence, if anything, an increase in wages.

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One of the reasons why the great masses of the people are merely plodders for the favored few is because of the bogeys which the favored few are able to bring into service at election time to frighten voters.

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All great measures have been slow of accomplishment through that little word "fear," but it is gratifying to know that upon this occasion the workingmen of British Columbia are not going to be stampeded into voting away the opportunity to secure cheaper living and at the same or higher wage.

RECIPROCITY IS POPULAR IN EAST

NO DOUBT AS TO OUTCOME OF ELECTION

Dr. R. L. Fraser Says Rural Ontario is Strongly in Favor of Pact

"The general opinion throughout the East is that reciprocity will be endorsed by a majority at least equal to that held by the government in the last parliament, and possibly greater."

This observation was made to-day to a Times representative by Dr. R. L. Fraser, of this city, who, with Mrs. Fraser and family, has just returned from a very enjoyable visit to the eastern centres. His trip embraced parts of Quebec, Ontario and the Prairie provinces, and his summing up of the probable result of the present campaign is based upon a calm and dispassionate survey of the situation as he has been able to see it.

"Ontario, especially rural Ontario, is very strong for reciprocity," Dr. Fraser added, in explanation. "The farmers remember the prosperity which existed in that province during the former reciprocity treaty, and they expect similar advantages from the new arrangements. They are looking forward, especially to large profits on barley, which can be raised in that province in better quality than across the border, where it commands a high price."

"What about the annexation cry that is being raised by the opponents of reciprocity?" Dr. Fraser was asked.

"The farmers pooh-hooh it," the doctor replied. "They think it is being over-done. They say it sticks out of all the opposition campaign literature, which instead should contain economic argument. I am giving you the opinion of farmers I came in contact with. Many Conservative farmers are supporting reciprocity, which they consider justifies their abandonment, for the present, of party lines."

Dr. Fraser also visited Quebec and said that the general sentiment in that province was that Sir Wilfrid Laurier would carry the province, as he has always done.

In the Prairie provinces, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Alberta, he found the farmers very largely in favor of the agreement.

ITALIAN CONSUL GENERAL.

London, Aug. 26.—King George has approved of the appointment of A. Rossi as Italian consul general at Montreal for Canada. His authority will extend to the whole of the Dominion, excepting Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island.

LAURIER WILL HAVE UNDIMINISHED MAJORITY

Reports Received From Various Provinces Indicate That Reciprocity Will Receive Emphatic Endorsement of the Electors on September 21

Ottawa, Aug. 26.—All reports received since the opening of the campaign confirm the prediction of the return of the government by an undiminished majority. Sir Wilfrid Laurier's receptions in Quebec during the past week and reports from all sections of the province allay any fears of serious Nationalist advance in that province. The Liberals will win at least two or three seats now held by the opposition and the best the Nationalist-Conservative combination can hope for is eighteen seats all told in Quebec. Bets at even money are made that they won't take fifteen.

In Nova Scotia not a single Liberal seat is in danger and the Conservatives are sure to lose Digby, with big chances of Borden and Crosby being defeated.

In New Brunswick Hon. Wm. Pugsley, who was here yesterday, confidently asserts that the Liberals will win all but one seat. Conservatives admit their chances are poor to make gains there.

In Prince Edward Island the most reliable information is that reciprocity is so popular every seat will go Liberal.

In Ontario the best the Conservatives hope for is a net gain of ten seats. On the other hand Hon. G. P. Graham, who has been in close touch with every constituency, declares the Liberals will divide the province equally. No impartial observer who knows anything about the situation in Ontario will assert that the Liberals will in any case do worse than in 1908.

In the Prairie Provinces no reliable report indicates that a single Liberal seat is in danger, with the possible exception of White in Victoria. The Liberals will gain at least one seat in Manitoba and one in Alberta, namely, Pauphin and MacLeod. Even if British Columbia does no better than last time the Liberal majority equal to that in the last parliament is assured. This is a safe and conservative estimate.

Reports received at headquarters here would justify the claim of sixty of a majority. None but the most rabid of Tories see any possible hope of Borden coming back with a majority.

WARD TWO LIBERAL ASSOCIATION
A SPECIAL MEETING will be held
MONDAY EVENING, AUGUST 28TH
in the
LIBERAL COMMITTEE ROOMS, CORMORANT STREET
at 7:30 o'clock.
All Liberals in this Ward are requested to be present.

WARD FOUR LIBERAL ASSOCIATION
A general meeting of all Liberals in Ward 4 will be held in the
LIBERAL ROOMS
MONDAY EVENING AT 8 O'CLOCK
A full attendance is requested. Bring your friends with you
H. A. MUNN, President. E. E. HEATH, Secretary.

WORKERS OF VICTORIA WEST
Will meet in the
VICTORIA WEST ATHLETIC ROOMS, CATHERINE STREET
At 8 p. m. on
MONDAY, AUGUST 28TH

WORKERS IN WARD ONE, EAST SIDE OF GORGE
On city side of water will meet in
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At 8 p. m. on
MONDAY, AUGUST 28TH
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WARD FIVE LIBERAL ASSOCIATION
A SPECIAL MEETING of all active Liberals in Ward Five is called for
TUESDAY EVENING AT 8 O'CLOCK
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All Liberals in Spring Ridge Section of Ward 3 will meet on
TUESDAY EVENING, AUGUST 29TH
IN ODD FELLOWS HALL, FERNWOOD ROAD AT 8 O'CLOCK
J. F. BELBEN, Chairman.
All Liberals west of Fernwood Road in Ward 3 will meet in
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SEATTLE JUDGE HANGED IN EFFIGY

Citizens Resent Action of Judge Hanford in Fight Over Car Fares

Seattle, Aug. 26. United States District Judge Cornelius H. Hanford was hanged in effigy last night by a crowd in front of Dreamland Rink, where a mass meeting was being held to protest against his action in issuing a temporary injunction in the trouble between the Seattle, Renton & Southern Railway and its patrons in the Rainier valley.

The effigy was hanged to a telephone pole across the street from the entrance to the pavilion. A large crowd stood around yelling and jeering until the dummy was finally taken down, when they went into the meeting. No arrests were made.

The large pavilion was filled almost to capacity. Every seat was occupied, and many people were standing. Inflammatory speeches were made, denouncing Judge Hanford and attacking his private life as well as his acts on the bench. Some of the speakers adopted a conciliatory attitude, but most of them were strong in their denunciation of the court.

A resolution was presented calling on the people of the judicial district of western Washington to sign a petition asking the House of Representatives to appoint a committee to investigate Judge Hanford's judicial and private life for the purpose of formulating articles of impeachment. The resolution was adopted with a cheer. If any present at the meeting were opposed to the resolution they remained silent when the negative vote was called.

Among the speakers at the mass meeting were former Mayor A. V. Fawcett, of Tacoma; State Senator J. W. Bryan, of Kitsap County; John E. Humphrey, candidate for the Republican nomination for United States senator last year, and Councilman Oliver T. Erickson, of Seattle.

GOES TO PRISON.

Nelson, Aug. 26.—John Kimber, of Rossland, was sentenced to a fine of $250 and costs for supplying liquor to interdicted men. He was unable to pay, and must serve three months at hard labor in the provincial jail here.

A CHOICE OF PARTIES

At the head of the Liberal party is the political Bayard of the age, without fear and without stain, a leader of personal magnetism unapproached among living statesmen, and a political general whose peer is not living at this moment. A Fabius in biding his time, a Napoleon in the comprehensiveness of his strategy and a Marlborough in battle, his party are ready to follow as one man wherever his white plume leads. Like Napoleon too, he has surrounded himself with men of the first calibre, ablest among whom is our own W. S. Fielding, the greatest master of finance which Canada has ever produced and a diplomat of many and greatest triumphs; a man who never entered a battle he did not win, who never tackled a problem which he did not solve, who never feared a foe or deserted a friend, a parliamentary debater of the highest order, and who, through the vicissitudes of a long and strenuous career, never made a personal enemy. Such are the Liberal accomplishments, such are the Liberal policies, such are the Liberal leaders. They are now appealing to the people for a mandate to set the seal of completion upon an agreement which at one stroke of the pen doubles our markets and provides opportunities for commerce whose profits shall stimulate this country to a development which shall make even the progress of the past ten years seem like a snail's pace.

Opposed to all this, what do we find? We find a leader dissatisfied with his followers, and followers dissatisfied with their leader. We find a condition of incipient rebellion and reluctant subordination among the rank and file of the Opposition. We find a party differing as the poles asunder on almost every question of importance during the past fifteen years and split and rent by jealousies, envies and mutual distrust to-day. An unpopular captain and a mutinous crew would be a poor outfit indeed with which to man the ship of state, and the Canadian electorate know this.

ZINC MINES WILL BE DEVELOPED

Treatment of Ore by Natural Gas Process Means Much for the Slocan

Vancouver, Aug. 25.—Plans are far advanced for the building of a smelter for the treatment of the zinc ores of the Slocan district by the natural gas process recently discovered and which has already revolutionized the zinc industry of Missouri. The plant will be located at some point in the natural gas belt along the main line of the C. P. R., either at Medicine Hat or at Dunmore Junction, a few miles distant.

Col. G. Weaver-Loper, of Spokane, one of the principal shareholders in the company owning the Lucky Jim mine, a well known Slocan zinc proposition, is now in Winnipeg conferring with Sir William Whyte, vice-president of the C. P. R., in regard to securing a smelter site, as well as freight rates on ore shipments.

The new process is credited with having reduced treatment costs to a minimum and yielded a higher return of values than by the old-fashioned methods of treatment. Manufactured gas is used in reducing the ores at Joplin, but in a zinc smelter in Illinois natural gas is employed. It is pointed out that the ideal conditions that exist in the vicinity of Medicine Hat will ensure the success of a customs smelter and develop the Canadian zinc mining industry as well as secure for Canadians the home market for manufactured products such as brass and brass rods and by-products such as sulphuric acid.

In view of the possibilities of the industry, development work on the Lucky Jim and other Slocan zinc mines has been resumed on a scale unequalled for many years. It is said the new process will render amenable for treatment of thousands of tons of low grade ores on the dumps of the Slocan camps, and which hitherto were considered useless.

Pat Welch, a well known railway contractor now in the city, is heavily interested in the Lucky Jim mine and feels confident that zinc mining in Canada has a great future. The C. P. R. is now extending a branch line from Three Forks to Gear Lake, and will tap numerous zinc mines which are capable of yielding a large ore tonnage. It is said the line will be extended so as to permit of shipments from a point on Kootenay Lake.

J. W. NAY DIES AT REGINA.

Regina, Sask., Aug. 25.—The death took place at an early hour this morning of J. W. Nay, one of Regina's most prominent and respected citizens. Mr. Nay was senior partner in the financial firm of Nay & James, one of the largest buyers of school and municipal debentures in Regina. He was first vice-president of the board of trade, and took an active interest in movements for the advancement of Regina. The funeral will take place at St. Catharines, Ont., but prior to the remains being sent East memorial services will be held at St. Paul's church, at which members of the board of trade and other public bodies will be present.

From the picture gallery of the Farnesa Palace at Rome have disappeared a Rubens and two paintings by Guido Reni.

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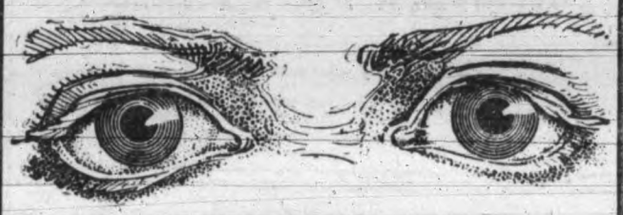

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SIXTY FROM WARD 1 HEAR G. H. BARNARD

Four Speakers Assist Conservative Candidate in Setting Views Before Electors

Conservatives of Ward 1 met last night at the Broad street hall to the number of about 60, where G. H. Barnard, the Conservative nominee; John Dean, chairman of the meeting; R. F. Green, Hon. W. R. Ross and Leonard Tait made short speeches between the commencement of the meeting at 8.40 and its close at 10 o'clock sharp. Mr. Barnard refused to break his rule, made Wednesday night, that meetings should close at 10 promptly.

Gratified to see 60 workers come in from Victoria West, Mr. Barnard said it was a tribute to their interest in the elections to come from their comfortable homes to listen to the most important political issues since 1891, when a somewhat similar attempt was made, and the Liberals went to the country on a policy of unrestricted reciprocity. "Since the terms of the present agreement have been announced," said Mr. Barnard, "reciprocity has been the wide and sole topic, and it had been forced on the government to go before the people by the Conservative side of the House. The Liberals maintained there was no necessity to go to the people, but the Conservatives are so far right, for the agreement is now before you. Americans are crazy to get at our natural resources to manufacture in their own states. Senator Beveridge says there are $200,000,000 of American money invested in Canadian manufactories. Of course we want reciprocity, says the senator, so that we can get those raw products and those factories back into the United States again to benefit the United States working men and not to benefit the Canadian workmen, as the $200,000,000 investment is doing to-day.

"When the agreement was first made known it was reported east that the American Cereal Company at Peterborough, Ont., would remove its business back to the States if reciprocity passed. The report was said to be only rumor, but Mr. Sifton ran down the rumor and told the House in his speech that it was a fact; that if reciprocity passed the large firm intended to remove its mills and business. Mr. Sifton's informant was the manager of the company."

Mr. Barnard reiterated his former remarks regarding pulp wood and the paper making industry in British Columbia. At Powell river he thought there were 1,000 men employed, but a member of the audience said there are 1,200 there, which, said Mr. Barnard, means the creation of a new town. He said he did not believe the statement printed in last night's Times, copied from an American paper, that the pulp paper business will come to Canada with reciprocity in force.

The fruit industry would be injured, said Mr. Barnard, despite the remarks of Senator Bostock, who said it would not. Although voters might not think the fruit-growing business touched them, it did, because the more fruit farms outside Victoria the more enhanced would become the value of Victoria property, and each man's business would grow. The government of British Columbia had fostered and advertised the fruit industry, and Ottawa was now doing its best to kill it in British Columbia. As far as the fruit-growers were concerned in the matter they had acted very emphatically and condemned reciprocity, and the provincial association had followed suit.

At the time of the last United States election fight the Democratic party was pledged to tariff reduction. The Democrats have the majority. Now what did the Liberal government at Ottawa make this pact for until they discovered what the Democrats will do in the next session? said Mr. Barnard. Answering his own question, he said that Sir Wilfrid Laurier had done it to cover up the government record and to provide a new issue upon which to go to the people. Should it pass, Canada would be dumped with America's surplus. At the present moment, said Mr. Barnard, American business conditions are rotten, empty freight cars and men out of work, harbors full of empty ships, cotton mills running half time—and that was the market the Liberals offered them to sell their goods in.

The result of reciprocity, if passed, he said would be commercial annexation and free trade. In 1891 Edward Blake quit the Liberal party on account of unrestricted reciprocity; Mr. Sifton did the same; Sir William Van Horne said "You can't make a deal without you pay the price;" eighteen Liberals bolted, and were now working against it.

"Is it worth it? Why take the risk" said the speaker. "Already the trend of public opinion is felt in the east. Mr. Borden, following Sir Wilfrid Laurier to Simcoe, got a better hearing and larger meeting."

Mr. Barnard then referred to local issues, saying Mr. Templeman had said he would run the election on the reciprocity question. It was the prerogative of his opponents to make the issues on which the election is to be fought. If he ignored them he would find himself in difficulties before the election was over. Mr. Barnard said Mr. Templeman would have to discuss these matters and not bluff them over with reciprocity. There were many questions on which the late member said he wanted answers, including harbor extensions, the naval question, and others.

The chairman, John Dean, said reciprocity was not the wish of Canadians as a whole, but had been stampeded upon Ottawa by a delegation of 1,000 farmers and not representative of even Canadian farming interests. Mr. Dean said he had the figures for the last 37 years of the wheat situation, which showed the average yield in favor of the United States. America, he said, wanted Canadian products to manufacture.

"If they want anything we have," said Mr. Dean, "let them take off their duty on it and they get it. If there is anything in America we want, let us take off our duty and get what we want. There is no need of any reciprocity agreement. Already the list of manufactured things coming into Canada from America is astounding. Canada should sit tight. The export duty on logs has caused the building of mills here. We are just encouraging the poultry business. There is an export duty of 1 1-2 cents on lead from Canada; the Government did nothing to get our lead in free. Reciprocity is just an agitation of the north-west farmer. The United States last year shipped away 87,000,000 bushels of wheat. That is a poor look-out for the larger market we are supposed to get. Canada needs a high protective tariff."

The chairman in conclusion remarked that the gathering was more an organization meeting than a public one.

R. F. Green called for a broad view of the matter and not a view from the provincial aspect alone, and said that while there was nothing in the agreement that would benefit B. C. the chairman had demonstrated the absurdity that there would be more money for the farmers. Mr. Green foresaw commercial annexation. He had just recently returned from a trip to New York and Chicago, he said, where he learned that some of the manufacturers who had branch factories in Canada would withdraw them to the other side once the tariff wall was removed, and that they would also draw the workers with the factories. The Liberal cry of cheaper food, said Mr. Green, would not make a difference of 25 cents per week to the ordinary man's bills, while it would cheapen labor and wages. He hoped to see Mr. Barnard elected by not 13 but by 1300 votes.

Hon. Mr. Ross spoke for a few moments, saying reciprocity might bring about apparent prosperity for a short time but there would be a heart-breaking future afterwards. Its purpose now was to side-track other issues, and the more it was enquired into the less were its advantages to Canada and the greater its advantages to America. Mr. Ross hoped to have opportunity to address the electors on the matter.

Leonard Tait said he would have some figures to announce later, reiterated his remarks made at previous meetings and made announcements of future meetings for the Conservative candidate.

THINKING THEMES

BY DR. FRANK CRANE.

One-half of any gospel is the person to whom it is preached. One-half of any truth is the person who believes it. One-half of any statement is the person who hears it. Always a fact is colored by the mind that contains it. The actual creed is a mixture of Me and the Articles.

Nothing illustrates this so well as the so-called Gospel of Jesus, which seems to mean as many things as there are nations, cults, sects, temperaments, ages and minds to understand it. The Roman Catholic conceives that he has in his church the pure gospel in its proper vase, and in the Protestant chapel across the way the evangelical parson is exhorting all Catholics to come and join him and believe the pure gospel. There is no doubt but the gospel meant something to the first disciples quite different from what it means in a fashionable New York church. The idea of it that was in the mind of Dante was far remote from the idea of it that was in the mind of John Wesley. Pius X. and William Booth are doubtless equally sincere, but what a divergence between their respective notions of the gospel.

The gospel is tinted also by national characteristics. To the Latin mind it creates a sentiment different from that which it produces in the Greek or Oriental. So also there is an Anglo-Saxon gospel. There will also in time be a Chinese, Japanese and Hindu gospel. For the gospel is not a fixed statement of facts; it is a sentiment, a view of life, a feeling toward destiny and the race.

Personally, I believe in the gospel: not in my gospel or yours, but in that Eventual Gospel, that shall be produced by living through various ages and epochs of history, by being tinged with the blood of all nationalities, by being soaked in the East and West, in eras of dreaming and eras of doing, until it shall become the Gospel of Every Creature, universal, the Gospel not of this or that time, Church, or nation, but of Humanity.

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Cushway never injured an officer in his escapes, but always managed to make his get-away by means of some clever scheme. On one occasion he donned the garb of a guard and walked past an officer who saluted him as such. Another time he placed himself in a box and was shipped from the prison.

AUTO FATALITY.

Marshfield, Or., Aug. 26.—An auto stage carrying passengers from Roseburk to Myrtle Point overturned four miles east of Myrtle Point, killing one person and injuring five others.

Mrs. E. A. Stevenson was killed. The injured were Miss Jones, of Colquitle, W. R. Courtright, his wife and two children, and a man named Pierce, who was driving the car.

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THE BRITISH PREFERENCE.

It is high time that the public of Victoria should be definitely informed as to the relative position of the two great political parties of Canada upon the question of the British preferential tariff and its intimate connection with the trade relations between the Dominion and the Mother Country. It is the constant refrain of the organs of the opposition that the reciprocity agreement limits the liberty of Canada to maintain or increase this valuable trade advantage given to Great Britain by the Liberal government in 1897. While the Nationalists—now calling themselves the "Conservative-Nationalists" of Quebec, thus showing that the alliance between the two factious parties is complete—are being harangued with protestations that Sir Wilfrid Laurier is too British, from the Ottawa river westward to the Pacific ocean, the exactly opposite charge is made against the Prime Minister. A brief review of the history of the preference will be read to advantage.

When in 1897 the Liberal government introduced the preferential tariff scheme the leaders of the Conservative party, with one accord, declared that its effect would be the ruin of Canadian industries and the wreck of Canadian prosperity. Sir Charles Tupper was foremost and vigorous in his denunciation of the preference, and he was followed by Mr. Geo. E. Foster and Mr. R. L. Borden in similar vein. Here is a part of what Sir Charles said upon the floor of parliament in the debate of that year:

"Now what is the result? The result is that this tariff goes into operation and the hon. gentleman knows that the industries of this country are already paralyzed in consequence. While hon. members gloat, vindictively gloat, over the destruction of Canadian industries I was reading the wail, the sorrowful wail, of those industries in the Montreal Gazette, where one manufacturer after another declared that their industries were ruined, that their mills must close and that they saw, staring them in the face, a return to the deplorable state of things then existent when the hon. gentleman, who last addressed the House (Sir Richard Cartwright), was in charge of the fiscal policy of this country. I say that a deeper wrong was never inflicted upon Canada."

"Should not the Governor-General, do what he may and what, but for the past I have no doubt he would do, exercise the right that the governor of any colony in the British Empire would use, and withhold the royal assent from an act that introduces a discriminating tariff, what will be the position of honorable gentlemen opposite? Let the Governor-General do his duty, and what happens? Sir, the country is already thrown into inextricable confusion and there is no resource but the disallowance of the bill."—Hansard, 1897, pp. 1291.

Mr. Borden followed in a similar protest. He said:

"Sir, I yield to no man in my desire consistently with the interests of Canada, of promoting preferential trade, but I think that the course which this government has taken in this regard is not a course which is likely to promote that result. I am most anxious that the trade of this country, so far as the interests of this country will permit, should be in the direction of the Mother Country and in the direction of the other colonies of the Empire. . . . I would not like to see any of the great industries of this country cut down or shattered, or the bread taken out of the mouths of our working men for that purpose."

Mr. Ross Robertson, another Tory member of the House of Commons, said, in the same debate:

"I feel that a preferential duty on British goods is a direct violation of the principle of protection. I would certainly not give, unless for a very material consideration, any advantage to either the workmen or the manufacturers of Great Britain, or, for that matter, to the workmen or manufacturers of any country in the world. I am not willing that British manufacturers should have the money that Canadian manufacturers need."

In spite of this strong opposition from the leading Conservatives of that day the Liberal government granted a British preference. That preference has been increased with the life of each parliament and at each proposal to increase it the modern successors of these great leaders were strenuous in their opposition.

That there may be no misunderstanding of Mr. Borden's position on this question to-day, it is necessary only to recall what he said at Regina and Dauphin on his recent trip during the recess of the House. When he was asked at one of these places would he increase the British preference he said he would do nothing to build a factory in Yorkshire at the expense of one in Canada. When asked if he would take off the duty on British agricultural implements coming into Canada, he replied that the limited preference already given had put several factories out of business and he must protect our industries.

No increase in the British preference is the sworn declaration of Mr. Borden, and "copying the example of Uncle Sam and raising the duties still higher," is the declaration of Conservative policy by Mr. McBride, who was, until lately, spoken of as the next leader of the party. That position is the declared position of the opposition in the matter of closer trade relations with Great Britain, reiterated, emphasized and brought down to date.

Against these declarations of principle it is only necessary to place in contrast the record of the government of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Not only have British goods a preference of thirty-three per cent. in Canadian markets, but Sir Wilfrid declared at the Imperial Conference and on several public occassions since that time that "If Britain grants us preferential trade treatment we are prepared to still further increase our preference and meet her half way."

That such a purpose is in no way interfered with by the reciprocity agreement was made apparent by Sir Wilfrid in his great address in opening his campaign at Simcoe. On every platform where he has spoken since he has reaffirmed that position. His stirring words were:

"If the United States were to find fault with us because we gave a preference to Great Britain, to the mother country, and say: 'We will not maintain our agreement unless you refuse to give a preference to Great Britain,' we would say: 'Then take your course, gentlemen. There is nothing binding in this agreement.'"

This position is understood in Britain, it is understood in the United States, and Sir Wilfrid's firm declaration that he does not intend to permit reciprocity to stand between Canada and the Mother Country in any closer trade privileges that may be accorded by each to the other needs no further elucidation. Sir Wilfrid's position is unique in that he has not only negotiated an agreement with the United States, but he has held Canada independent of any fiscal complications or obligations which could interfere with the unhampered development of his avowed policy of British preference to the hilt.

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QUESTIONS.

Now that questions are in the air and candidates for the suffrages of the electors of Victoria are the only ones allowed to answer them from public platforms, The Times submits a few for Mr. G. H. Barnard to answer at his meeting on Monday night.

At this moment Mr. F. D. Monk and Dr. Blondin are assisting Mr. Henri Bourassa in his campaign against Sir Wilfrid Laurier in Quebec. They are vigorously opposing Canada's participation in Imperial affairs, especially the naval programme. These men are proclaimed by the Montreal Conservative organization to be supporters of Mr. R. L. Borden, as they are included in the list of Conservative candidates given out by these authorities.

Does Mr. G. H. Barnard approve of their policy and of their declarations of hostility to the Liberal naval programme? Does Mr. Barnard approve of their vehement denunciation of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's imperialism? If he does not, does he approve of Mr. Borden's deriving any advantage from their campaign?

In case Mr. Barnard should be elected—a thing which is quite insupposable but respecting which the people have the right to ask—would he repudiate Messrs. Monk and Blondin on the floor of the House of Commons or would he sit with them and vote solidly, as he did before, against the Laurier naval programme? Will he make common cause with the anti-Imperialists of Quebec in their contention that no money shall be spent in aiding Imperial defence or on the construction of a Canadian navy?

When some few months ago the Conservatives of Toronto were seeking to depose Mr. R. L. Borden from the leadership of the Conservative party on account of his lukewarm opposition to reciprocity and some of the other Conservatives of the Dominion party afterward signed a letter of request that Mr. Borden reconsider his decision to resign, did Mr. Barnard sign that letter? If he did not, what was his reason for refusing to do so?

All these matters are of such a serious nature that the electors of Victoria have a right to demand that Mr. Barnard fully explain them. The people of the city should have from Mr. Barnard's own lips or over his signature in the press a clear understanding of what will be his attitude toward those other members of the Conservative party who are so pronouncedly opposed to the things which he is making the basis of his appeal to the "loyalty" of the electors. In answering these questions Mr. Barnard may very well remember the old, tried and time-worn axiom that there is no time like the present.

In asking these questions we would respectfully remind Mr. Barnard that we are not asking him things which Mr. Borden said fifteen or twenty years ago. These are all live questions, not about his leader but about himself. The people who are asked to cast their ballots for Mr. Barnard have a right to know what principles he will espouse and what will be his attitude in these perplexing and contradictory circumstances should they be so unfortunate as to be afflicted with him as their representative in the councils of the nation. Silence upon these questions will be understood as evasive, the reverse of manly and wholly contemptuous of the respect of the citizens.

We regret that the Colonist, after adopting such questionable tactics as the addressing of personal questions to members of the Times staff and the acceptance of the challenge of our contemporary by a person named, the morning paper refuses to use its powerful influence to have its own expressed wishes carried out. The people of Victoria may not be well versed in the ethics of journalism, but such as are so versed have had another rude shock. As for the editorial columns of the Times, it may be as well to say that they are not directed from the editorial rooms of the Colonist. When it becomes necessary to call for help from our morning contemporary we shall do so. In the meantime no advance offers or signals of distress are heeded.

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—The Victoria High school will reopen for the fall term on Monday morning, when pupils will be graded according to the results of the recent departmental examinations. Principal S. J. Willis wishes every pupil who is going to attend the high school this session to enroll on Monday morning. Those who come at a later date disarrange the grading, and will find themselves considerably handicapped in their work.

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—The business meeting of the W. C. T. U. on Thursday afternoon was given up to a discussion of the plans for the restaurant which is to be kept by the union at the fair grounds. Helpers are wanted for the restaurant staff, especially on Wednesday and Thursday (September 6 and 7), between the hours of 10.30 and 2 o' clock, and from 4.30 to 6.30 p.m. Those who promised puddings, cakes, etc., are asked to see that their offerings are sent to the mission on Store street; to Mrs. Wellwood, Quadra street; to Mrs. Tennant, Superior street, or direct to the restaurant at the fair grounds on Saturday, September 2, or on Monday, September 4. In addition to the restaurant the union has decided to keep a rest tent this year at the fair.

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—At the regular weekly meeting of Victoria Lodge, No. 84, I. O. G. T., held last evening in the Church of Our Lord school room, the following resolution was unanimously carried.: "Whereas our beloved brother, J. S. Bailey, chaplain of this lodge since its formation, has, in the providence of Almighty God, the Ruler and Disposer of all things, been suddenly called to leave this world, and to lay down the work in which he has been engaged, the Victoria Lodge, No. 84, of the International Order of Good Templars, desires to place on record its deep appreciation of the sincere Christion character of our late lamented brother. His unfeigned piety, his gentle loving spirit and his thorough sympathy with old and young alike have endeared him to all. Seldom was he absent from the weekly meetings of the lodge, and readily did he respond to every call for service. He was never tired of recommending the order, and many were induced by him to join its ranks and to unite in the warfare against strong drink. The lodge offers its since sympathy to brother and sister Hedley Bailey and their family, all of whom are members of this lodge, or of the juvenile temple; praying that God may give His own abiding comfort in this their time of sorrow."

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Victoria-Seattle.

Princess Charlotte leaves Victoria daily, except Monday, at 6 p. m., arriving at Seattle at 10 p.m.; Princess Victoria leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, at 9 a. m., arriving at Victoria at 1 p. m. On the lie-over day the steamer Iroquois, of the Alaska-Puget Sound Navigation Co., fills the schedule.

Prince George leaves Victoria on Wednesdays at 10 a. m., and Prince Rupert on Sundays at 10 a. m. Returning, leave Seattle Wednesdays and Sundays at midnight.

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The factory is being re-arranged and a complete new equipment of modern machinery installed, for the manufacture of auto bodies, seats, doors, wheels, also carriage and wagon building. Provision is also being made for a first-class, up-to-date paint shop, where skilled workmen will specialise on high-grade painting of auto bodies, carriage and wagon bodies and fancy painting.

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As will be seen from the firm's advertisement in another part of this issue it solicits patronage and is ready to give estimates on new or repair work.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Aug. 26.—5 a. m.—Barometric pressure has not changed much in the last 24 hours, the pressure being moderately high over this western part of the continent from the Pacific to the Great Lakes, while only comparatively low in Arizona and New Mexico. The weather on the Pacific slope is fine and warm, but in the prairie provinces rains have fallen in Alberta and Saskatchewan.

Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Sunday.

Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, fair and warm to-day and Sunday.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, fair and warm to-day and Sunday.

Reports at 5 a. m.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.01; temperature, 50; minimum, 50; wind, 2 miles N. W.; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, 50; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles N. W.; weather, clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, 36; minimum, 34; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, 42; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles N.; rain, .20; weather, cloudy.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, 49; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, clear.

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Friday:

Temperature.

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Lowest	51
Average	62

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BOY SCOUT ORDERS FOR THE EXHIBITION WEEK

Guard of Honor for Opening Day — Competitions Arranged for Saturday

General orders for Victoria Boy Scouts during the B. C. Agricultural Society's show, September 5 to 9, are issued as follows:

All scouts in uniform will be admitted free on any day during the fair.

On Tuesday, September 5, the brigade will parade as a guard of honor for the opening by his honor the lieutenant-governor at 2 p.m. They will fall in with the band by troops, near the entrance, inside the grounds, at 1.45. It is desirable to parade as strong as possible. Dress: Uniform with staves, scouts being careful to present as neat and clean an appearance as possible.

On Saturday, 9th, the following competition will take place for a cup to be presented by the association for competition among troops:

A display of physical exercises, the choice of which will be left to the individual troops.

An exposition of practical work in first aid and bandaging. The judges who will be asked to officiate will also award marks for general smart appearance and percentage of total strength on parade. Each competition limited to 10 minutes duration.

Scout-masters are requested to communicates with Mr. Hughes, secretary V. B. S., by Monday, September 4, as to their intention of entering the competition, and it is hoped that all troops will do so.

C. H. R. SLINGSBY,
Acting - Commissioner Victoria Boy Scouts.

—Rev. G. F. J. Casson, St. Peter's church, Vancouver, will preach at the 4 o'clock service in the school building, Oak Bay, to-morrow.

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—The Sound Construction Company, which has been awarded the contract for the erection of the new Union Club building, will commence work on the structure on Monday.

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—The president of the Ladies' Aid Society of First Congregational church wish to thank all those who contributed to making the "welcome home" reception to the pastor on Monday evening such a success.

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—The regular monthly celebration of "Holy Communion" will be held to-morrow in Pemberton chapel, Royal Jubilee hospital, at 8 a.m. A cordial invitation to attend is extended to all residents of the district.

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—Important business will be considered at the meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A., which will be held on Monday at 3 o'clock in the ladies' parlor in the new building.

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—Building permits were issued yesterday by the building inspector to Luslan Isla, additions to dwelling on Walnut street, $300; F. H. Forde, dwelling on Wilson street, $2,550; J. L. Wilson, dwelling on Burwick street, $1,600; Lefevre & Daniels, dwelling on Bank street, $1,000.

MUCH WASTE SMOKE SAYS MAYOR MORLEY

Difference of Opinion on the Matter so Council Decides to Have Report

Ald. W. F. Fullerton differed from Mayor Morley last night in council on the question of smoke. The mayor does not want smoke and Ald. Fullerton does, and lots of it belching from chimneys in Victoria. The difference of opinion was made known last night at the council meeting, the mayor announcing that something will have to be done to stop or abate the smoke nuisance at the northeastern sections of the city. He argued that the mill operators and others should not have such large volumes of smoke coming from their chimneys. The smoke, he said, is a nuisance and the companies are wasting good material.

Ald. Fullerton hoped he would see the day when there would be lots more smoke and a thousand chimneys in Victoria.

Meantime the city solicitor will report on the smoke problem.

Ald. H. M. Fullerton took opportunity last night to mention to the mayor that he had not intentionally gone home from the previous meeting when the council was in committee on the civic centre scheme. He had no intention of breaking up the quorum, but thought the meeting through.

Admiral Togo, who will reach here on Tuesday, is to be received by a committee the council appointed last night. Ald. Bishop and Langley will act with the general committee. They will also meet the British pressmen who come here on September 13.

The engineer, water commissioner and Ald. Gleason are to report on the construction of a pipe line the Silver Spring brewery asked for last night. The company wants to extend the line 1,000 feet from the end of Mary street to Lime street and build an underground chamber.

On the recommendation of Ald. H. M. Fullerton, chairman of the electric light committee, the council has fixed the following points at which street arc lights will be installed: Corner of Medina and Simcoe; Cecil and King's road; Asquith and Haultain; Hillside and Blackwood; Wilson near railway crossing; Harrison and Pandora; Fullerton and Langford; McPherson and Craigflower road; Wilson and Hereward; Bridge street near Garbally; Garbally between Douglas and Gorge road; Rose and King's road; Work and King's road; Hillside between Rock Bay and Bridge street; David between Rock Bay and Bridge street; John between the same points; Henry and Catherine streets; Esquimalt road, east of Wilson street; Bushby and Dallas road (2 lamps); Eberts and Bushby; Eberts and Dallas road; Bushby and George; Carroll and Gorge road; Gully bridge, Gorge road; Gamma and Burnside road; Gorge road between Emma and Harriet road; Store and Chatham; Discovery and Government; Store and Pembroke; Parry and Michigan; Discovery and Blanchard; Washington and Burnside. Tenders will be called for 10,000 pounds o fline wire for the above installations.

NAVAL ARCHITECTS.

William A. Morris, George Bulkeley and Thomas Halliday have gone into business as marine engineers and naval architects here and in Vancouver under the firm name of Morris, Bulkeley & Halliday, with Victoria offices in the Board of Trade building. They will represent the Hinton Electric Company's launch department in Victoria, and the combination should be able to deal with anything in the marine line required in these waters. Their house-flag is the combined international code flags for their initials, the M over the H next the staff and the B as the pennant.

Mr. Morris served his apprenticeship to marine engine and shipbuilding work in England, was a senior seagoing engineer in the Bucknall line, and later went to Japan, where he was for some years in charge of the engine and construction of gasoline craft. Mr. Bulkeley was for eight years in the mechanical department of the Great Western Railroad of England, afterwards having charge of engine and machinery installation work in various parts of China and Japan. Until lately he was associated with A. H. Styles & Co. in their marine work here. Mr. Halliday was, until last year, head of the ship designing office at the famous Thornycroft shipyards in the old country, and was connected with their recent important experiments in the design of small motor craft. He has been, for the last twenty years, associated with Thornycrofts in their design and construction of deep and shallow draft vessels for service in all parts of the world, including the 36 knot destroyer Tartar, which is the speediest boat in the British navy.

BAND CONCERT.

By kind permission of Lt. Col. Currie and officers there will be a band concert in Beacon Hill park to-morrow at 3 p. m., when the Fifth Regiment, C. G. A. band, under Deputy Conductor J. Willmore, jr., will render the following programme:

March—"Nibelungen" ..... Wagner.
Overture—"Tancred" ..... Rossini.
Andante—"But the Lord Is Mindful," ..... Mendelssohn.
Tromfane Solo—"Somewhere" ..... Chas. K. Harris.
Soloist G. Brett.
Waltz—"Casino Tanze" ..... Gung'l.
Overture—"Light Cavalry" ..... Suppe.
Serenade—"La Paloma" ..... Yradier.
Selection—"Mikado" ..... Sullivan.
Intermezzo—"Italian" ..... Piantodosi.
God Save the King.

—An inspiration lecture under the auspices of the local branch of the Psychic Research Society will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in Foresters' hall, Broad street. The speaker is Judge A. J. Speckert, Seattle. His subject will be "Voices From the Angel World."

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NEWS OF SPORT

ISLANDERS LOSE SYMPATHY OF FANS

Exhibition They Gave Yesterday Disgusted the Most Fervent of Their Friends

The Pippins, who are coasting merrily towards the finish of the Northwestern league race and are having a quiet little laugh on their competitors on the mainland, who are jostling and crowding one another a short distance ahead, were out at the lot yesterday. Their exhibition was all that could be expected even if their batting was a little lucky at times. On several occasions the ball almost struck one of the objects marked "fielder," and in the event of it doing so might not have counted as a hit. Their base running was very good, too, as was also their fielding and throwing. They slackened up considerably at the finish, not wishing to condition down too finely, as they have a gruelling struggle to go through next week. The Islanders also played, although not so as to be noticed, they being the aforementioned objects.

The locals have lost some pretty poor games, but always they have had the sympathy of the fans because they were in such a badly crippled condition and up to the last week or so seemed to be trying. But yesterday they lay down cold and the fans, or what is left of them, right down to the most fanatical of the thirty-thirders expressed their opinion of the team in no uncertain terms.

It would appear only natural that even if they have not the interest of the club at heart the players would at least consider their own reputations. Instead of that they lie down and let a team of players in the same class as themselves walk all over them.

They, of course, always have handy that excuse that they are playing out of their regular positions. That accounts for a lot, but it is no reason why they should act like a bunch of hayseeds, lose their heads and fall all over themselves on every possible occasion.

What they need is a head, a man with a seething, red-hot line of talk, who will show them where they get off at. With such a man to drive them they could and would play ball, for there is no doubt that they can play if they want to. Victoria has not, by any means, a well-balanced club, but at the same there are some players on the team who are just as good, individually, as any in the league.

However, to get back to the game. Kane, formerly with Chehalis in the Washington State league, was on the slab for the locals. The visitors hit him at will throughout, collecting in all 21 singles, which, with the assistance of several errors and innumerable bone-headed plays, were good for 13 runs. Still, there is no use attaching the blame to Kane. Every pitcher has his off day, and he has not had time to become acclimatized. Besides, any twirler who could pitch ball with the support he got and not be affected in the slightest by the "don't give a dang" spirit of his team mates would be a marvel. It is a shame to turn loose an unsuspecting and self-respecting ball player amongst such an irresponsible squad of scatter-brains.

The Islanders touched up Jensen for 11 swats, but at least three of these were gifts. With the tremendous lead they had the Pippins had nothing to fear and in the ninth the infielders just lobbed the ball just across to first, allowing three men to get on the paths who might easily have been put out. When it appeared as if they might score in this frame Casey, who had announced his intention of going to a picture show, suddenly ended the agony by pulling off an unassisted double play, taking the ball from Thorsen's bat and catching DeVogt off second.

The homesters counted altogether three runs, which, it must be said to their credit, were all earned, one in the first on a single by Million, and a double by Ward, and two in the seventh on a single by McMurdo and doubles by Thorsen and Erickson.

Erickson, the big slabster acquired played in centre and his performance was hardly worth writing home about. McMurdo was back on first and he and Clementson played the only honest games of the whole Victoria tribe. The score:

Portland.

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Mundorff, 3b.	4	3	2	0	3	0
Spies, c.f.	6	2	4	1	1	0
Stovall, r.f.	6	2	3	2	0	0
Williams, 1b.	5	1	2	12	0	0
Pettigrew, l.f.	3	2	1	1	0	0
Casey, 2b.	5	0	4	4	3	0
Harris, c.	5	1	3	4	0	0
Coltrin, ss.	5	2	2	2	3	0
James, p.	5	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	44	13	21	27	12	0

Victoria.

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Brennan, ss.	4	0	0	1	2	0
Million, 3b.	4	1	1	1	2	0
Ward, 2b.	4	0	2	3	2	0
Clementson, l.f.	4	0	0	4	0	0
DeVogt, c.	4	0	1	3	2	2
McMurdo, 1b.	4	1	3	11	0	0
Thorsen, r.f.	4	1	1	3	2	1
Erickson, c.f.	4	0	2	0	0	0
Kane, p.	3	0	0	1	2	0
Lake, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Grindle	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	36	3	11	27	12	3

*Grindle batted for Lake in ninth.

Score by innings:

Portland ..... 3 0 0 3 1 1 0 5 0—13
Victoria ..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—3

Summary—Stolen bases—Spies, 2; Pettigrew, 2; Million. Two base hits—Williams, Ward, McMurdo, Thorsen, Erickson. Three base hit—Coltrin. Bases on balls—off Jensen, 0; off Kane, 4; off Lake, 1. Struck out—by Jensen, 1; by Kane, 3. Hits—off Kane in eight innings, 21; off Lake in one inning, 0. Left on bases—Portland, 8; Victoria, 6. Double plays—Million to Ward to McMurdo; Casey unassisted. Passed ball—DeVogt. Time, 1:40. Umpire, Starkell.

INDIANS WON EASILY.

The Indians batted everything that Schmutz and Gordon could offer all over the lot at Spokane yesterday and won as they pleased. Willis held Tacoma to three hits until the ninth and was given flawless support. Gordon retired after four of the first five men at bat had murdered the ball, Capt. Mike Lynch is in bed with the grippe. The score:

Spokane.

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Netset, r.f.	4	2	2	1	0	0
Cooney, ss.	4	0	2	2	4	0
Melchoir, l.f.	4	1	1	1	0	0
Kippert, c.f.	4	1	2	1	0	0
Zimmerman, rb.	4	0	1	3	0	0
Cartwright, 2b.	4	2	3	0	2	0
Nordyke, 1b.	4	2	1	13	0	0
Ostdelk, c.	4	0	2	6	0	0
Willis, p.	4	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	34	8	15	27	8	0

Tacoma.

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Bassey, r.f.	4	1	2	1	0	0
Coleman, 2b.	4	2	1	1	4	0
Kennedy, c.f.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Abbott, l.f.	4	1	2	2	0	1
Burns, c.	1	0	0	1	2	0
Siebt, c.	2	2	0	2	1	0
Morse, ss.	4	0	1	3	3	0
Fisher, 1b.	4	0	1	12	1	0
Tauscher, 2b.	1	0	0	2	2	0
Tepee, 3b.	3	0	1	0	0	1
Gordon, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schmutz, p.	3	0	0	0	1	1
*Higgins	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	5	8	24	14	3

Score by innings:

Tacoma ..... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 4—5
Spokane ..... 4 1 0 2 0 0 0 1 *—8

Summary: Two base hits—Nelson, Melchoir, Willis, Ostdelk, Cartwright. Three base hits—Nordyke, Coleman. Sacrifice hits—Nordyke, 2. Stolen bases—Cooney, 2, Netset. Struck out—by Willis, 6; by Schmutz, 1. Bases on balls—off Willis, 1. Passed ball, Ostdelk, Burns. Double play—Coleman to Morse to Fisher. Five to bat, two runs and four hits off Gordon in 1-3 inning. Left on bases—Tacoma, 4; Spokane, 5. Time of game, 1:28. Umpire, McCarthy.

GIANTS HIT HARD.

The Beavers hit Fullerton hard at Vancouver yesterday, bunching five hits in the fifth inning and scoring five runs. Seaton replaced Fullerton in the sixth and the first four men up hit safe for three runs. Clark was effective until the ninth, when three hits in a row netted three runs. The score:

Vancouver.

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Brinker, c.f.	5	1	0	4	0	0
Bennett, 2b.	3	1	1	1	2	1
Brashear, 1b.	5	2	4	9	0	0
Frick, r.f.	6	1	2	1	0	0
James, 3b.	4	2	1	3	0	0
Swain, l.f.	5	1	2	3	0	0
Scharney, ss.	4	2	1	2	5	0
Leaver, c.	5	2	3	4	0	0
Clark, p.	4	2	1	0	4	0
Totals	41	14	15	27	11	1

Seattle.

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Leard, 2b.	3	0	0	3	3	2
Cruickshank, c.f.	4	1	1	5	0	0
Householder, l.f.	4	1	1	0	0	0
Bues, 3b.	4	0	0	0	0	1
Weed, r.f.	4	1	2	1	0	0
Ort, 1b.	4	0	0	7	2	0
Raymond, ss.	4	0	0	2	3	2
Shea, c.	3	1	1	5	1	0
Fullerton, p.	2	0	0	0	5	1
Seaton, p.	1	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	33	4	5	24	15	6

Score by innings:

Vancouver ..... 0 0 1 2 5 3 0 3 *—14
Seattle ..... 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 2—4

Summary: Stolen bases—Bennett, James, Swain. Sacrifice hit—Bennett. Two base hits—Scharnweber, Lewis, Brashear, Clark. Three base hits—Bennett, James, Cruickshank. Home runs—Weed, Shea, Householder. Innings pitched—by Fullerton, 5, hits 8, runs, 8. Bases on balls—off Clark, 1; off Fullerton, 4; off Seaton, 2. Struck out—by Clark, 3; by Fullerton, 1; by Seaton, 1. Double play—Clark to Scharnweber to Brashear. Hit by pitcher — Scharnweber, by Fullerton. Left on bases—Vancouver, 11; Seattle, 3. Time, 1:45. Umpires—Dashwood and Jewell.

SPORT NOTES

Vancouver and New Westminster lacrosse officials have decided on Joe Lally, the eastern expert, as referee for the remaining scheduled Minto Cup match in New Westminster on Labor Day. He will also referee the extra matches if they are played. Lally has accepted and will leave Cornwall for the coast on Monday.

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Carney, the catcher of the Saskatoon Berry Pickers, has been sold to the Chicago White Sox and will report to that club next spring. The price paid is $1,600. Thomas Carney is 21 years of age and this is his first year in professional baseball. He looked good to Scout Sullivan when he was in Saskatoon recently and this led to the deal. Carney is the best catcher in his league and a hard worker and pretty heavy with the stick.

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Tommy Burns, ex-champion pugilist, passed through Vancouver yesterday on his way from Seattle to Calgary and left $2,500 with the sporting editor of the Province to wager that Vancouver will take the Minto cup from New Westminster.

ABOUT BASEBALL

The scorers were about the only ones who did not enjoy yesterday's game. They were kept feverishly busy scratching down hits, runs, stolen bases, passed balls and errors until the eye-sight became blurred with gazing at the mazy tangle and writer's cramp threatened. Casey's double in the ninth was all that save them. The fans' sense of humor early overcome their disgust and thoroughly enjoyed the burlesque.

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The Pippins fattened everything during their sojourn in Victoria, their batting averages and base stealing, fielding, pitchers' records, and, it is said, their craniums.

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"Ducky" Holmes is the man the local players need. He should be able to show them the error of their ways.

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Bill Goodman will very probably not play again this season. One of the tendons in his leg is badly strained, and he is going down to Tacoma for treatment at the hands of a neuropath.

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Next week the Islanders play in Spokane, then go to Portland for a week and then back here with Spokane. Vancouver plays in Seattle next week and Tacoma at Portland.

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"Stop the game," Grindle shrieked, "here comes another quarter. No, I'll be jiggered if he hasn't got a pass, too!"

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Million, Ward and McMurdo worked a double in the fifth, cutting down Casey and Harris.

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The Victoria club has signed on Jimmy Adams, former Beaver, and also Lefty Miller, a pitcher. Miller has been playing with Sioux City in the Western League, and the local managers have been trying to get him for some time. Tacoma beat them to it, but, not being in any great need of another slabster, the Tigers have turned him over to Victoria.

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It is likely that Eddie Mensor, former Portland short stop, will shortly be seen in a Victoria uniform. Mensor is a good man, but Coltrin is just a little better, so Portland has no place for Eddie. Manager Wattelet is also negotiating with Spokane for a husky moundsman.

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Victoria play in Tacoma with the Pippins to-morrow.

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Pitcher McCreery, of the Islanders, was yesterday morning united in marriage with Miss Supple, of Tacoma. Rev. Joseph McCoy performed the ceremoney at the Presbyterian manse. Mrs. McCreery has now joined the fast diminishing ranks of the local "bugs."

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It looks as if Jakey Baumgarten is out of a job. An umpire named Jewell officiated with Dashwood at Vancouver yesterday.

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The standing of the Northwestern League teams is:

	W.	L.	Pct.
Vancouver	80	50	.615
Tacoma	73	57	.553
Seattle	71	58	.550
Spokane	70	60	.542
Portland	64	63	.503
Victoria	31	101	.234

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The Beacon Hill intermediates will play at Chemainus to-morrow and all members are requested to catch the 8 a.m. train out.

BASEBALL RESULTS

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Detroit—	R.	H.	E.
Detroit	7	14	4
Washington	6	8	1

Batteries — Willett and Schmidt, Stanage; Ashton, Gray and Henry, Street.

At St. Louis—	R.	H.	E.
Boston	6	11	3
St. Louis	2	3	2

Batteries—Thomas, Hall and Carrigan; Hamilton and Chrysill. Game called in seventh, darkness.

COAST LEAGUE

At San Francisco—	R.	H.	E.
Vernon	8	12	2
San Francisco	5	12	1

Batteries—Castleton and Brown; Aller, Browning, Fanning and Berry, Schmidt.

At Portland—	R.	H.	E.
Sacramento	1	3	1
Portland	4	9	0

Batteries—Fitzgerald, Thomson and Thomas; Henderson and Kuhn.

At Oakland—	R.	H.	E.
Los Angeles	0	9	5
Oakland	1	8	1

Batteries — Leverenz and Abbott; Plater and Mitze.

EASTERN LEAGUE

At Toronto—Jersey City, 0; Toronto, 5.

At Rochester—Providence, 1; Rochester, 3.

At Montreal—Baltimore, 4; Montreal, 6.

At Buffalo—First game, Newark, 9; Buffalo, 5. Second game, Newark, 1; Buffalo, 2.

CANADIAN LEAGUE

At Brantford—Berlin, 0; Brantford, 6.

At London—St. Thomas, 10; London, 6.

At Hamilton—Guelph, 6; Hamilton, 5.

WESTERN CANADIAN LEAGUE

At Saskatoon—Moose Jaw, 1; Saskatoon, 6.

At Calgary—No game, rain.

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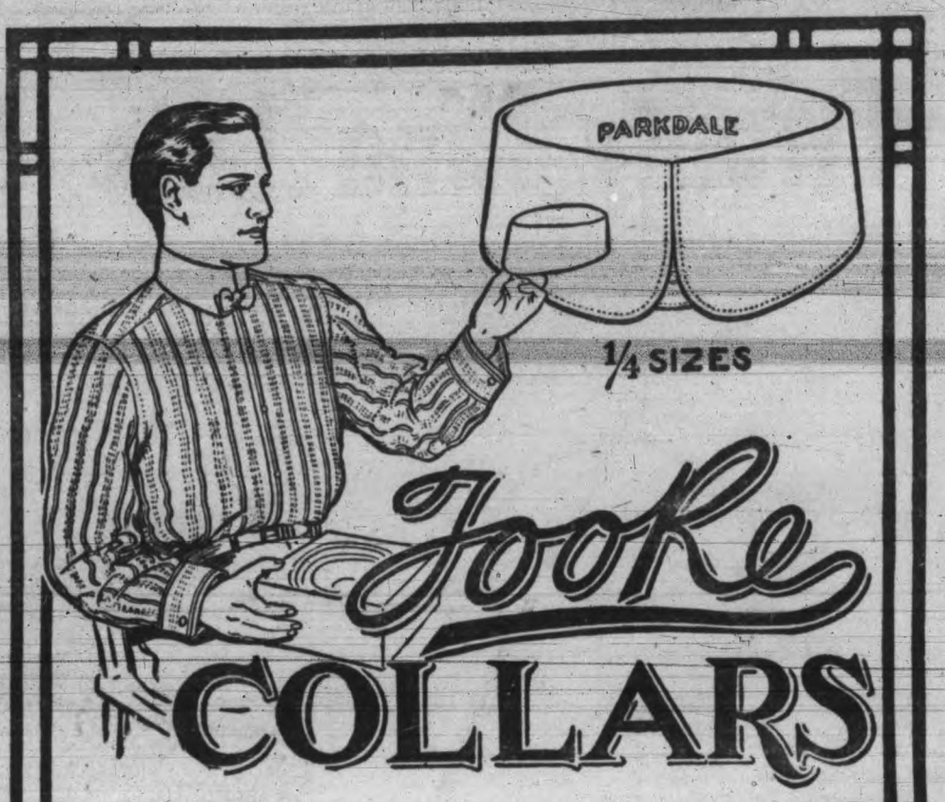

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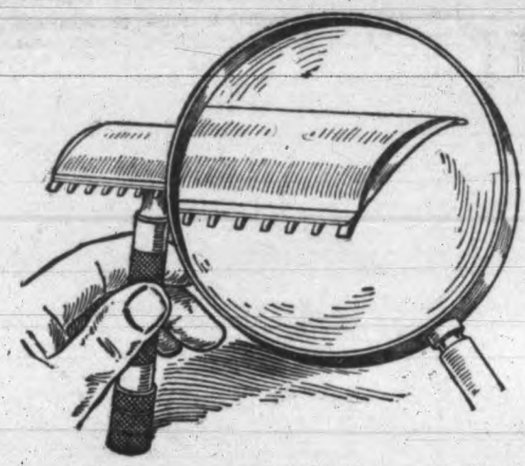

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The Victoria Gun club will hold a shoot at Langford Plains to-morrow for the Weiler cup and the Victoria Gun club's handicap cup.

The club cup final takes place to-morrow, going to the competitor scoring the most points in six shoots. It has been shot for five times and has been won by E. Crowe, J. Sylvester, A. Bechtel, J. Phillips and O. Weiler. Everybody is welcome to join in the shoot to-morrow.

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CRICKET

KELOWNA HERE MONDAY.

The Kelowna C. C. will play four days in Victoria, beginning Monday next. Monday was scheduled for the Navy at Esquimalt, but the sudden departure of the fleet compelled the Navy to cancel the game yesterday. An effort will be made to give the visitors a two days' game at the Victoria C. C. field Monday and Tuesday. Wednesday Kelowna vs. Garrison at Work Point; Thursday, Kelowna vs. Albion at Beacon Hill.

It is understood that this team from the Kootenays is very strong, though out of practice. They are putting up at the Empress, and will stay over to attend the cricket ball at the Alexandra Club Friday night, and also to see the Philadelphians play at the Jubilee hospital grounds Friday and Saturday. They would like to have an extra game on Friday.

SEATTLE VS. SAANICH.

Before a gallery of nearly 200 one of the best contests of the tournament took place on the Garrison grounds. Bright colors of army and navy, white gowns and flannels in statuesque groupings of onlookers, with the marquee and barrack buildings, formed a pretty sitting for the green field dotted with the natty players. Nearly all the non-playing teams' representatives were present, and other well knowns, including Geo. Gillespie, H. A. Collison, Capt. Foulkes, Major Mills, Commander Vivian, Lieut. Moore, Staff-Paymaster Jinkin, C. C. Saulez (Seattle), and Mrs. Cameron (Seattle).

Umpires Roberson and Needham were on hand and the game promptly called.

H. Ackroyd received Cameron's first delivery. A no-ball was called. On the fifth ball of the over Stumper Waddell took a tip at the wicket, 1-1-0. Shortly after a substitute took care of a misstroke from Dainsborough's bat, 15-2-8. At 24-3-7 Horton left. Vaughn now joined Allen of top score fame. They two kept at it. Playing carefully at times, but not forgetting to take advantage of opportunities. Fours and twos and singles came the score, passing the 50 then the 75. Several changes in the bowling department were tried, Vaughn hitting a glorious 6 off McKillop. Lawrence was recalled, finally tempting Allen out of his ground. Anyone who attempts this with Waddell behind the stumps is a gone duck if he does not connect with the ball. Allen has had much to do with the triumphal march of Saanich, this team being the surprise of the tournament. At first their victories were considered accidents, but now we know they were won on merit. Each one of the next three wickets, with Vaughn, contributed something. Vaughn was in sight of his century when by making a corking square cut Parson Hilton brought off a marvelous catch. Telegraph 182-7-90. Vaughn has been in Victoria, but like many another good man has been unable to play. His exhibition stamps him as a good one, and when the score was put up on the Times' window it created considerable excitement. He received a well-earned ovation at the club house.

Cameron and Lawrence disposed of the next three wickets on four successive balls, the final score being 192. Saanich were in high spirits, and so were their supporters and wellwishers, who are numerous. This score would take some beating.

Seattle started with that most excellent batsman, V. A. McKillop, and our fighting Capt. L. G. Pattullo. Fighting in a uphill game, for he is really most good natured, being of Scotch descent, not Italian, as the spelling of his name would suggest.

McKillop punished Barnett for 10 in the first over, and then both batsmen settled to business. At 23 the worthy captain was bowled by Barnett. There was nothing slow in the way Churchley and McKillop went after those runs. Churchley being the more aggressive. The score was taken past the century mark before the last named failed to connect fairly with the ball, giving a pop fly to Horton. A great stand was this, giving a most excellent start. Now it was Seattle's turn to be proud of their representatives. The assembled multitude gave the retiring batsman a good hand. Lawrence and McKillop looked as though they were good for the balance, but Allen had a spit-ball up his sleeve, which compelled the scorer to record 144-3-15. H. Nicholson wasted no time in his endeavor to overtake McKillop, who looked as though he never would get out. Excitement was pretty high as many appreciate Seattle. On the quiet, McKillop would appreciate it if the various grounds were supplied with underground passages from the wicket to the dressing room. Well, the score board showed 187-4-79. Play did not slow up one bit nor cautious tactics prevail. In short order Saanich saw their score passed and when time was called 274 was registered for Seattle, H. Nicholson giving a first class 76 not out and J. Adams 32. No wonder they were cheered to the echo. It was a great game. The score:

Saanich—First Innings.

H. Ackroyd c Waddell, b Cameron	9
K. Danesborough c sub, b Lawrence	8
H. Allen stmp Waddell, b Lawrence	54
E. J. Horton b Lawrence	7
A. N. Other c Hilton, b Cameron	90
A. E. Parnwell b Cameron	7
T. A. Nicholson b Lawrence	4
H. Coton lbw Lawrence	11
N. Wilkinson c Waddell, b Cameron	4
H. W. Medd c Lawrence, b Cameron	0
J. E. Barnett not out	0
Extras	7
Total	192

Wickets 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
Runs 15 24 131 146 168 182 192 192 192

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Barnett	11	2	60	1
Coton	22	3	59	0
A. N. Other	8	0	17	0
Danesborough	2	0	12	0
Allen	14	2	14	2
Farnwell	12	1	45	0
Horton	9	0	50	1

Seattle—First Innings.

V. A. McKillop b Horton	7
J. J. Churchley c Horton, b Allen	48
C. W. Lawrence b Allen	15
H. Nicholson not out	76
J. Adams not out	32
Extras	17
Total for 4 wickets	274

B. Waddell, J. M. Roddie, T. A. Hilton, W. P. Cameron and W. Pattullo did not bat.

Wickets 1 2 3 4
Runs 23 112 144 187

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Cameron	25	6	65	5
Lawrence	25	3	70	5
McKillop	5	0	34	0
Adams	3	0	12	0
W. Pattullo	1	0	4	0

VANCOUVER VS. STRAWBERRY VALE.

You know the general story of an exhibition game after the excitement of possibilities have been removed. If so the score sheet will give particulars excepting one or two of the following:

Coppinger, Victoria's useful professional, was put into the game with the hearty consent of both sides and proved of great assistance, making a masterly 54. C. Schwengers went in second wicket down and nearly carried his bat for 46. McNamara made a marvellous six hit. With the bowling talent against them Saanich put together a respectable score.

Vancouver were out for a lark and they had it. At one time it looked as though they would have to hustle to win but that did not worry them. Payne, the last wicket, and McAdam, were having a tip and run game. Their old clubmate, Clarence, was put on to bowl. He took a run as if to deliver the ball. Payne immediately left his crease preparatory to taking the expected short run. Clarence stopped at the wicket, smiled at Payne's mild endeavor to get back, and knocked off the bails. Laughter was very general; possibly Clarence enjoyed it most.

If there are a better lot of sports and cricketers anywhere than Vancouver, show me. The score:

Strawberry Vale.

E. R. Lock b Payne	3
A. M. Sinclair b Payne	3
G. Hobson stmp Peel, b Payne	0
E. Shepperson b Crossfield	54
C. Schwengers b Crossfield	46
C. Clarence c Birrell, b Payne	12
A.N. McNamara c Murphy, b Peers	19
C. Thomas b Crossfield	7
P. Goepel b Crossfield	4
H. Hewitt not out	0
E. Chandler c Peers, b Crossfield	0
E. Chandler c Peers, b Crossfield	0
Extras	9
Total	157

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Peers	11	0	48	1
Payne	10	2	25	4
Gardom	3	1	11	0
Birrell	1	0	3	0
Armitage	6	0	28	0
Crossfield	16.5	8	20	5
Hodges	4	2	7	0

Vancouver C. C.

J. M. Armitage b Shepperson	23
R. S. Clayton b Hewitt	14
L. F. Murphy b Hewitt	3
F. L. Birrell b Thomas	29
F. J. Peers b Hewitt	43
W. H. Crossfield b Hewitt	11
R. Gardom run out	5
C. A. L. Payne run out	41
W. E. Hodges b Hewitt	11
G. C. Peel b Hewitt	2
W. A. McAdam not out	9
Extras	14
Total	205

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Shepperson	7	1	29	1
Hewitt	20	0	90	6
Schwengers	3	0	20	0
McNamara	3	0	23	0
Thomas	8	0	38	1

BURRARD VS. ALBION.

The closest game of the series was played at Beacon Hill. Both sides were short of good men, Burrard suffering most in this respect. Albion batted in better shape all through and amassed a total of 221 which was sufficient to give them the victory by 32 runs. Two men show conspicuously for their side, J. Idiens 80 not out, and H. T. Hewitt 51. The first named put up as pretty a game as has been seen during the week. Nothing flashy but cricket. Getting the runs and defending his wicket. Albion have a great team. The strides forward taken by this club will undoubtedly place them in the front rank next year. A more energetic wholesale lot of cricketers is hard to find anywhere. Great hosts, good losers and the prince of winners. By-the-way Hewitt received a very generous hand and many congratulations on his popular 51.

Looking over the score sheet one would hardly recognize the Burrard team of yore. Captain Smith is there—he is always there—but many a good name is missing. T. Jepson with the bat, adding 84 runs for the seventh wicket. Although they made a good fight under adverse circumstances.

Burrard have been handicapped all through the tournament but for good sports, fulfilling engagements and enjoying the game whether played by themselves or others, they are hard to beat. Good fellows all who have made a host of new friends this year in Victoria.

Jepson made 63 and sacrificed his wicket trying to make a win on the last wicket.

What do you think of this? Killick got two 2's, one 3 and four 4's. The score.

Albion.

H. A. Ismay l b w Russell	10
H. H. Pegler b Hood b Russell	23
J. Idiens not out	80
L. B. Trimen b Hindmarch	14
E. W. Ismay b Hood	19
H. Keighley c Jepson b Hood	2
W. L. Stephenson b Hood	1
E. Parsons c Hindmarch b Russell	7
W. J. Wicks, b Russell	0
H. F. Hewett, stmp Killick b J. R. Smith	51
P. Rayment b J. R. Smith	0
Extras	14
Total	221

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Stark	10	1	49	0
Russell	15	6	26	4
Hindmarch	8	3	13	1
Jepson	7	1	37	0
Griffin	3	0	26	0
Hood	14	3	23	3
E. F. Smith	2	1	6	0
J. R. Smith	5	0	13	2
Collinson	5	0	24	0

Burrard.

C. Russell c E. W. Ismay b H. A. Ismay	10
D. Hood b Parsons	6
J. A. Collinson c Stephenson b E. W. Ismay	18
E. F. Smith b Parsons	1
R. Hindmarch c Hewett b H. A. Ismay	11
G. Stark c E. W. Ismay b H. A. Ismay	17
F. Jepson c Idiens b Parsons	63
A. J. Killick run out	36
J. R. Smith l b w Trimen	0
N. A. Griffin b Parsons	11
R. Smith not out	6
Extras	10
Total	189

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Parsons	21	3	71	4
H. A. Ismay	17	4	49	3
E. W. Ismay	7	0	18	1
Rayment	2	0	14	0
Trimen	8	2	25	1

BEASLEY'S SUCCESS.

Had Made Good Showing at Astoria, Obtaining Four Points.

Astoria, Ore., Aug. 26.—The Olympic Club of San Francisco took the honors at the Pacific Coast field and track meet at the Centennial yesterday, winning 45 points in the contest for the club, obtaining the largest number of points. The Seattle Athletic Club stood second with 24 points, A San Francisco man, Sam Bellah, won the cup for the largest number of points scored by any individual, having 15. Con Welsh, unattached, Seattle, took second honors with 11 points. Exclusive of the Olympic and Seattle clubs, the standing of the clubs competing is as follows: Los Angeles A. A. C., 17 points; Multnomah A. A. C., 14; Vancouver A. A. C., represented by Dunc Gillis, 9; Pastime A. A. C., 5; Astoria A. A. C., 4; James Bay A. C., 4; Pomona club, 3.

The four points credited to the James Bay Athletic Association of Victoria represents the showing of Victoria's only representative in the meet—Hal Beasley, who ran an excellent second in the one hundred-yard even championship, and took third in the 220.

THE AUGUST ROD AND GUN.

No better number for a delightful holiday month has been issued than Rod and Gun in Canada for August, published by W. J. Taylor, Limited, Woodstock, Ont. In the opening story "From the Log of a Nautical Tramp," the holiday spirit prevails and is prevalent through the two following papers—Luxurious Trout Fishing and Up the Maganetawan, a River of Dams. In addition there is an abundance of other material, articles and stories dealing with fishing, deer, moose and bear hunting, while other phases of outdoor life receive recognition and treatment in a manner that must appeal to all sportsmen. This is particularly the case with the little paper on the subject of wounded game and a pioneer's stories, while the conclusions of the commission inquiries into the fisheries of Alberta and Saskatchewan must interest anglers all over the Dominion. The paper on a New Use for the Red Fox may not only create a new interest in fox hunting but also lead to an extension of the fox farms which have proved such a success in Prince Edward Island and in Middlesex county in Ontario.

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Shipping in connection with this port next Tuesday will be somewhat out of the ordinary, as an event of far greater significance than any seen here for some time, is scheduled. About 4 o'clock that afternoon the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Tamba Maru, with Japan's greatest naval hero, Admiral Heihachiro Togo, will dock at the outer wharf while the two United States cruisers, the Colorado and West Virginia, acting as escorts, will anchor a short distance out in the stream.

The monotony of daily arrivals and departures will be broken by the visit of the Maru this trip. She will glide up to her berth gaily bedecked with bunting, flags and other decorative material lavishly distributed about her, the two big battleships of Uncle Sam's navy with their brasswork glistening in the sun and their massive guns peeking out through their sides, and the welcome to be extended to the hero of the naval conflict between the Russians and Japs in the Japan Sea, by the sons and daughters of the Mikado living in this city, will form a most brilliant spectacle.

According to her schedule the Maru will get away from Seattle about 10 o'clock on Tuesday morning and will arrive here at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Plans are now being formulated by the local Japanese residents for the chartering of the C. P. R. steamer Princess Beatrice to carry them a short distance down the Straits of Juan de Fuca to meet the Tamba and accompany her to this port.

It will be a right royal Japanese reception which will be extended to Admiral Togo. If possible Mayor Morley will be in attendance to welcome the celebrated Japanese sailor and extend to him the freedom of the city while he is staying here. The steamship will stop at the outer wharf for about three hours, and during that time Admiral Togo will be taken around Victoria in an automobile.

Admiral Togo is known the world over as the greatest fighter Japan has ever produced. His scientific methods of dealing with his enemy and his indomitable courage has made him a dreaded foe in battle. At present he is at the head of the Japanese fleet and the high state of efficiency of that department of Japan's national life is in no small degree due to the hard efforts and unquenching spirit of Togo.

Born in 1847, Admiral Togo when he became a young man, was sent to England, where he obtained his education. In 1863 he joined the navy of Daimyo of Kagoshima, and five years later was appointed to the Kasuga, of the Imperial fleet. He was aboard that vessel when she defeated the Chinese warship Kwaiten. After following the sea for some years Togo again returned to England in 1871, and remained there until 1878, studying naval matters. He returned to Japan on the battleship Hiyei, one of the first warships built in England to the order of the Japanese government.

When the Japanese-Chinese war began Admiral Togo took an active part in the naval side of the question. Although negotiations between Japan and the heads of the Flowery Kingdom were still in progress, Togo sank the Chinese transport Kowshing, which flew the British flag. Throughout that war he commanded the warship Naniwa. At the close of the conflict in 1895 Togo was promoted to the post of Rear-Admiral as a result of daring, pluck and courage in the various engagements he participated in. Another promotion awaited him in 1900, when he was given the rank of Vice-Admiral, and four years later he was given command of the combined fleet of the Mikado with the title of full Admiral.

Following the outbreak of the war between Russia and Japan, Admiral Togo again figured prominently. He completed one of the most startling feats in the history of recent wars by effectively blockading Port Arthur. Although the outside world thought he would never accomplish his task, the little Admiral paced his bridge or sat in his cabin figuring out new schemes for the blockading of the entrance to Port Arthur and keeping the Russian fleet inside. After bottling up Port Arthur, Togo, who was aboard the flagship Mikasa, proceeded to the Japan Sea to meet the Russian fleet, which was on its way from St. Petersburg to assist the Russians on the Pacific in an attempt to defeat the Japs.

The battle in which Togo broke the maritime power of Russia and practically annihilated the Baltic fleet, is remembered by all. The decorations held by Admiral Togo are the Fourth Order Golden Kite, Order of Merit (British), and Grand Order.

YARDS JAB HOLES IN DECK.

Barque Drummuir Has Eventful Passage to Newcastle—In Terrific Gale.

San Francisco, Aug. 26.—The well known British barque Drummuir, which is on berth at Newcastle for this port, coal laden, had an eventful voyage out to the British colony port from the Golden Gate, according to advices received by the Merchants' Exchange. The familiar windjammer encountered terrific weather in the southern ocean, which left her badly crippled after she rode free.

She was sailing along in the vicinity of St. Paul's Island when the sky suddenly became overcast and it began to blow hard from the northeast. Even previous to this the vessel had a hard time, meeting southeast winds instead of the west and southwest trades. When the hurricane burst upon the barque everything was set, and all hands were called to shorten sail. There were 19 men forward getting in the foresail in the midst of the blow, when the foretopmast came down with a terrible crash. How all escaped is a miracle, for the fortopmast and yards landed on the deck, piercing the timbers through to the hold. For days the gale raged, the wreckage hanging over the side, pounding against the craft until it seemed as if the hull would be penetrated. On the fourth day of the storm the weather moderated and it was then only possible to clear up and make things shipshape.

Even with her arrival in Sydney the Drummuir's troubles did not end. As she was being passed a hawser from a towboat the windjammer was caught in a gust of wind and hurled against the smaller vessel. The tug lost a portion of her mast, funnel, and sustained other damage.

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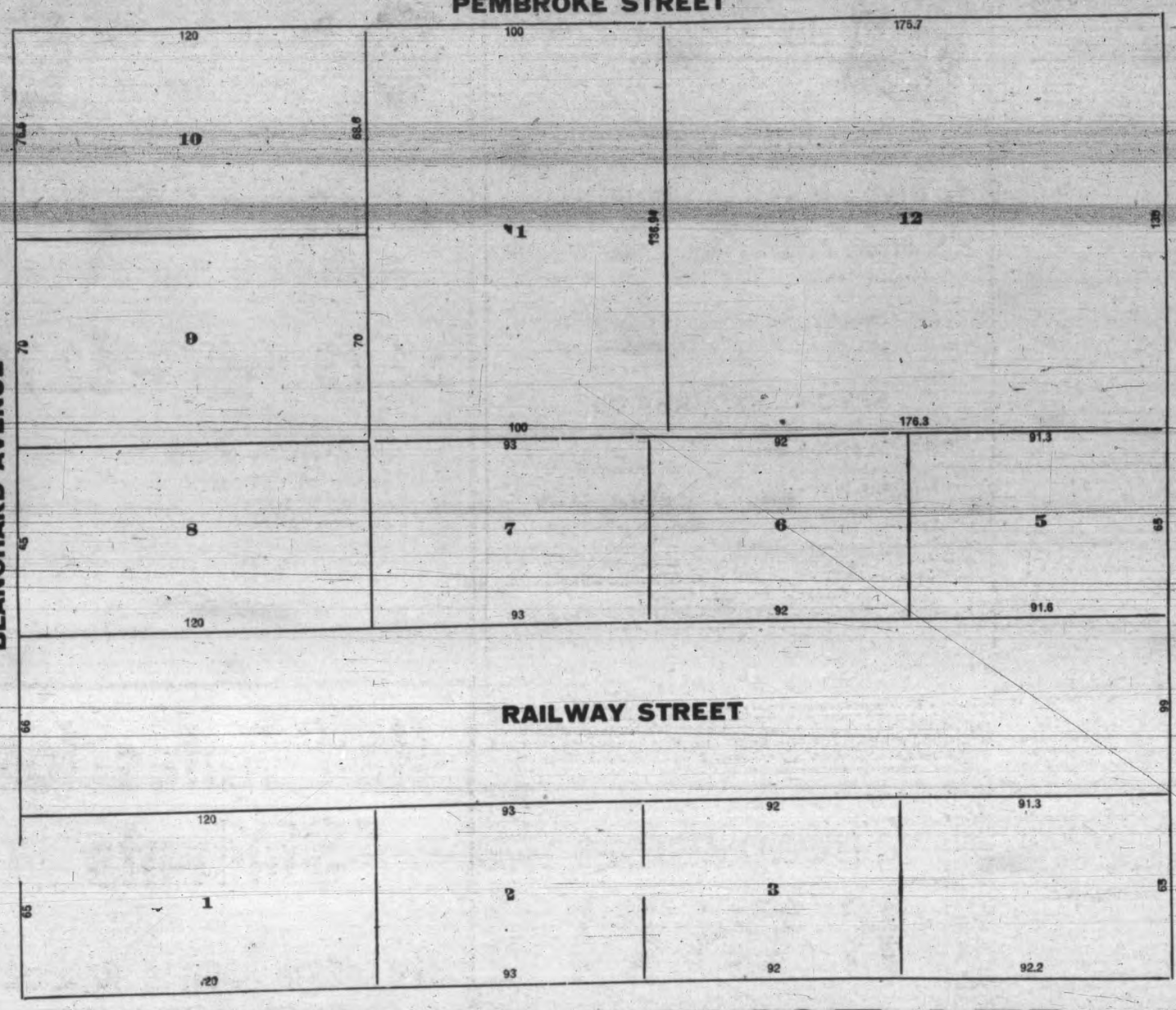

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That this year's immigration would far surpass anything that Western Canada has ever seen and that a large portion of these people were coming to stay in Manitoba was the announcement made by Bruce Walker, commissioner of immigration for the Dominion government at Winnipeg.

That the valuable and desirable homesteads which Manitoba has to offer to the settler were being taken up with a readiness that surprised everyone was another announcement made by Mr. Joseph Burke of the provincial immigration office.

For the first six months of the year it can therefore be said that Manitoba has fared exceedingly well and to make the demand for Manitoba's farm lands a lasting one, large posters have been printed calling attention in moderate terms to the many advantages of water and timber which these parts of Manitoba open for settlement abundantly enjoy in comparison with other lands in provinces further west.

Commissioner Walker made the statement that an approximate total of the immigration into the country during February, March, April, May, June and July would figure 140,000 and that the immigration for the whole year would be at least a quarter of a million and perhaps might reach three hundred thousand. This, of course, applies only to the western provinces and does not include any settlers stopping east of Winnipeg where Mr. Walker's jurisdiction commences.

This increase has been largely among the British immigration, states Mr. Walker, and the American immigration from across the border has maintained the same steady level that it has always stood at since the farmers of the middle west found out the good things that waited on them across the line in Canada.

As evidence that the tide of immigration is not diminishing, Mr. Walker produced a report showing that 650 people had just arrived from Glasgow. From this time on, however, the lists will grow less until Christmas, when the tide will be going the other way.

When Joseph Burke, provincial superintendent of immigration, was seen he was quite as optimistic as Mr. Walker. As proof that Manitoba was doing its share in advertising its possibilities he pointed to a monster poster in letters six inches high, which will be distributed along the railway lines throughout the entire length and breadth of Canada so that the colonist as soon as he enters the new land will be confronted with a list of Manitoba advantages.

With this advertising at their back, says Mr. Burke, the large amounts of advertising of further west lands done by interested parties will be discounted and Manitoba will receive the recognition.

FRANCE AMENDS HER CONSTITUTION

Republicans Repair Defect in Military Law to Protect Autonomy

More important than a change of government was a virtual change in the constitution of France, made by the appointment of General Joffre as generalissimo or commander-in-chief of the French army. For more than forty years, so great has been the fear of the "man on horseback," the military dictator who might seat himself or someone else on a French throne, that the unwritten part of the French constitution forbade the elevation of any commander, however illustrious, to supreme rank. The military has always been carefully subordinated to the civil, and there has been no commander-in-chief, nobody on whom the supreme command of the French army would automatically devolve in the event of the country being at war. It would be left to the Minister of War to nominate a man at the last moment. For forty years the advantages of the arrangement have seemed to French statesmen to outweigh its obvious disadvantages, but now, acting on a popular impulse, a generalissimo has been appointed.

There was some ground for France's fear of the "man on horseback"—the homme a cheval of French politics—for it is to be remembered that the present Republican form of government was not, in the beginning, "broad based upon the people's will." In point of fact, it was adopted by the narrowest of majorities, and one vote turned the scale. The Republicans had good reason to fear that popular opinion was pretty fairly divided as between them and the Royalists, and they lost no opportunity of strengthening their position. They feared a military dictatorship that might overthrow the Republic and re-establish the monarchy, and about twenty years ago what they feared might have come to pass had it not been for the weakness shown at a critical moment by General Boulanger. He was the darling of the people and of the army, and there was a time when it would have been easy for him to have built a throne and sat the late Comte de Paris on it. The Boulanger furore was a further warning to the Republicans, if such were needed, and thenceforward they redoubled their efforts to prevent any soldier from becoming a popular hero.

The instance of General Alfred Dodds is mentioned by "Ex-Attache," who recalls the great reception accorded the mulatto soldier on his return to France after having conquered Dahomey. The attempts of the Government to cheat Dodds of the plaudits of the people were almost ludicrous to those who understand their motive. The Franco-Russian alliance provided the next problem for the Republicans, for Russia, naturally enough, requested that there should be in Paris some permanent military man who would keep in constant touch with the Russian army, and co-operate with it in strengthening the alliance on the military side. It was obvious that a Minister of War, who, besides being a civilian, was liable to be thrown out of office at a moment's notice, was not suitable for the task, and so a way round was found in the appointment of General de Boisdeffre as chief of staff. This was not quite the same as appointing a generalissimo, the General's position being more like that of a permanent military secretary.

The Dreyfus scandal, however, discredited the headquarters staff, and de Boisdeffre was forced into retirement. His successor, too, was shorn of much of his power, and the supreme command of the army was as much a mystery as before the alliance. Finally it came to be understood that the commander-in-chief should be nominated on the outbreak of war by the Minister of War, and that this nomination should go, except in some extraordinary circumstances, to the general who was vice-president of the Superior Council of War. This body, as its name implies, is an organization of high officers whose duty it is to advise the civilian Minister as to the technical military needs of the army. The vice-president of the Council has been almost invariably selected by the Minister, and the objection to him becoming commander-in-chief lay in the fact that he might be altogether out of touch with the other military members of the council, and that he would be, in fact, probably chosen by the Minister for his amenity to official suggestion.

This was the state of affairs when the Socialist Minister of War, Bertaux, was killed by an aeroplane. His successor, General Goiran, while a brave soldier, was a poor Parliamentarian, and when interrogated in the chamber as to who would command the army in the event of war breaking out, was not able to give convincing reasons for leaving the choice to the Minister of War. The probability of trouble with Germany over Morocco made the question a burning one, and there followed a popular demand for a permanent commander-in-chief. The choice has fallen on General Joffre, and another chapter in the constitutional history of France has begun.—Mail and Empire.

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In the Green Room

The theatrical season of 1911-12, which opens on Tuesday, promises to be the best in every sense in the half century of the Victoria theatre's history. Last season saw the finest line of attractions ever booked, but Manager Denham is able to show a list of bookings for the new season far surpassing in number and quality what we have had in Victoria during the past twelve months. It is a pleasing fact that financially the season of 1910-11 has been the most prosperous the Victoria has ever enjoyed.

So far as the bookings go for the coming season they are as follow, but it must be understood, of course, that there will be others added:

'Seven Days."
'Mme. Sherry."
Ladies' Musical Club, four concerts.
Robert Hilliard.
Fred Bowers.
Anna Held.
Forbes Robertson, for two nights.
"The Rosary."
"Little Miss Fix It."
Walker Whiteside.
Jos. M. Gaites.
"Get Rich Quick, Wallingford."
Kinemacolor animated pictures, showing pictures of the coronation in natural colors.
Mrs. Leslie Carter.
"Flower of the Ranch," for two nights.
Mutt & Jeff.
"Miss Nobody from Starland."
Henry Woodruff.
Juvenile Bostonians.
Nat Goodwin.
"Forty-five Minutes from Broadway."
"Alma, Where Do You Live?"
Henry Miller.
"Excuse Me."
"The House Next Door."
"The Newlyweds."
Roberts, Bergen & Roberts.
Maude Adams, for two nights.
"The Sweetest Girl in Paris."

DAN MASON

The German comedian to appear at the Empress Theatre next week in "The New Chauffeur"

Puccini's grand opera, "The Girl of the Golden West."
"The Deep Purple."
"The Barrier."
Montgomery & Stone.
"Arrival of Kitty."
"Polly of the Circus."
Geo. Sidney.
"The Gamblers."
Lambardi Grand Opera Co.
"Three Twins."
"The Fortune Hunter."
Countess de Swirsgy, in dances.
"The Commuters."
"Alias Jimmy Valentine."
Kyrle Bellew.
"The Spring Maid," for two nights.
"The Country Boy."
"Mother."
"When Knighthood Was in Favor."
Sheehan English Grand Opera Co.
Billy Clifford.
Grace Van Studdiford.
Ladies' Welsh Choir.
"The White Sister."
Rose Melville.
"The Round Up," for two nights.
Blanche Bates.
"The Travelling Salesman."
"Everywoman."
Gertrude Hoffman.
Julian Eltinge.
"Naughty Marietta."
"Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm."
"Madame X."
Elsie Janis.
"The Third Degree."
"Around the Clock."
"Bright Eyes."
"The Campus."
"The Girl in the Tax"
"In Old Kentucky."
Sam Bernard.
"Baby Mine."
Richard Carle.
Sousa's Band.

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Margaret Dale has been engaged for the part of Mrs. Travers in Louis N. Parker's "Disraeli." She with Elsie Leslie will support George Arliss when he presents his characterization of the English statesman at Wallack's theatre in September. Miss Dale has for several seasons been leading woman for John Drew and William H. Crane.

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The musical season is beginning early, the first event fixed being the Griselda concert on September 8. Madame Griselda comes here highly spoken of, and her concert in the Alexandra Club should prove a delightful one.

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W. J. O'Brien, Chicago, president of United Theatres, is making a tour of the Sullivan & Considine houses in the west. He was in Winnipeg a couple of days ago and hinted that the prairie capital's Empress would have to be replaced by a larger theatre.

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Harry Lauder returns to America on October 9 for another tour of the country, under the direction of William Morris and Marcus Loew. The itinerary is now being laid out, extending from coast to coast.

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A new Dickens play was performed recently at the Savoy theatre in London, when Metcalfe Wood dramatized two detached scenes from the story of Pickwick. The first shows Mr. Pickwick's altercation with the cabman and introduces Jingle, Snodgrass, Mr. Wardle and Rachel at "The Golden Cross"; the second is based on Jingle's bargaining over the marriage license. Both scenes have Jingle's scheming to marry Rachel Wardle as their connecting thread. O. B. Clarence's Jingle was the chief success of these peeps at Pickwick and Ben Field looked the part of Pickwick.

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Margaret Anglin returned to New York last Saturday after a three months' automobile tour in Europe with her husband. Radiant with good health and spirits, Miss Anglin declared that they had enjoyed a delightful trip abroad. As to her plans, Miss Anglin said she understood from Liebler & Co. that her season is to open about the middle of next month in A. E. W. Mason's comedy, "Green Stockings," which enjoyed a gratifying success on tour during the latter part of last season.

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After having acted sixty-seven consecutive weeks, Mrs. Fiske and her company returned to New York on August 14 from Minneapolis, where season in "Mrs. Bumpstead-Leigh" was brought to an end. Her tour began in March, 1910, at the Lyceum theatre, Boston. During this period she appeared in four different plays. Mrs. Fiske will divide her vacation between the seashore and the Adirondacks before beginning rehearsals of Langdon Mitchell's comedy, "The New Marriage." Mr. Fiske's plans will divide her time next season between Chicago and New York. In the autumn she will begin a two months' season at the Grand Opera house in Chicago, offering two new plays. One is Gertrude Atherton's "Julia France," the first play of that novelist. The second piece is "War of Souls," a work dealing with the conflict between science and religion, by Paul Hyacinthe Loyson, son of the good Pere Hyacinthe of Paris. Its background is described as purely domestic. At the Theatre Antoine it was produced with success.

The ADVANCE MAN

Empress Theatre.

The old saying "It is to laugh," will be realized on Monday afternoon when Dan Mason, the eminent German comedian, opens here at the Empress theatre with the new comedy-playlet "The New Chauffeur." Mr. Mason has long been before the public playing in "The Man from Mexico," "The Prince of Pilsen," "Why Smith Left Home," and other successful productions. With much variety and a well-defined plot "The New Chauffeur" will be found a cleverly-constructed piece of playwriting of the tabloid kind. With Mr. Mason as the new chauffeur and the lines written to suit his odd German style and dialect a riot of fun is anticipated. Supported by a competent company the Empress headliner appears a very merry and attractive number of Manager Wisner's new bill.

Italian music, and music from several different musical instruments, form the component parts of the Geiger and Walters act that will draw music-lovers to the Empress Monday. With his best music rendered upon the violin Geiger has been pleasing his audiences. His companion in the act is a singer with new songs, and they are a duo hard to beat in the music line.

Many character changes mark the act of John Terry and Mabel Lambert and make it a success. To the changes are assorted a number of suitable songs. More than half a dozen characters are seen, all well and expensively dressed, and the act has a foreign and cultivated tone acquired by long residence of the performers abroad.

The acrobatic goal reached by athletes Hill and Ackerman is said to be a little beyond their predecessors, and they have studied out some comedy athletics that will please and bring laughter because of grotesqueness and real humor.

Good cheer is Florence Hughes' mission, and she spreads it by her songs, using a powerful voice that will make itself heard in every part of the Empress theatre. A merry, laughing manner and good songs which she has will make her popular during her engagement here. The Empresscope comedy and drama for next week have never been shown in Victoria.

Princess Theatre.

"The Sweetest Girl in Dixie" is the offering for the coming week at the Princess theatre. As the name denotes, it is a Southern play, and it will be presented in the now well-known Williams style. That means a close attention to detail and a conscientious rendering of the lines and business just as the author intended.

Miss Pinkie Mullally, who is cast for the "sweetest girl," played the part a few weeks ago at the Seattle theatre, and the press of that city were unanimous in their approval. The old Southern colonel, who manages to be happy and contented even when poverty is pressing him to the wall, will be played by Mr. Van Dyke, and it is expected that he will appear as well in a character part as he has in mere juvenile ones. No Southern household would be complete without its old Southern "mammy," and at least one faithful house servant.

Mr. Williams plays the part of the shiftless but sunny-tempered servant. Arthur Cyril, as the Northern lover who overcomes all obstacles; George Sweatman, a polished by black-hearted neighbor whose scheming comes to naught; Miss Ora Wolf, Byron Alden and Miss Margaret Doyle, who has some pleasing songs, complete the cast.

"Flower of the Ranch."

Something new in the way of stage settings for musical plays will be seen when Joseph E. Howard's latest success, "The Flower of the Ranch," is presented at the Victoria theatre on Tuesday and Wednesday, August 29 and 30. This breezy musical play, with twenty minutes of a plot and over two hours of mirth and melody, has its scenes laid on a ranch in California.

Howard has set forth some good ones in "The Time, the Place and the Girl," "The Golden Girl," "The Flirting Princess," "Miss Nobody from Starland," "The Prince of Moonlight," and others. Yet it remains for his latest success, "The Flower of the Ranch," to convey what he is capable of doing. He wrote books, lyrics and music, which is about all any person can do. A large company will present this delightful musical comedy with the same scenery and effects as was used in the city run.

Miss Betty Caldwell, playing "Flower," the California bud, is a half-breed Indian maiden. She was born on a ranch in Oklahoma Territory nineteen years ago, her mother being a full-blooded Sioux. When Oklahoma Territory was opend up in 1889 and the army of hungry homeseekers rushed there from all quarters of the earth to seek a claim in the rich strip of land, like many others, the white man, many of them ignorant of ranch life, chose for a wife one of the young Indian maidens. As has been the custom of the Indians for centuries, the women did the work, so the white settler who was fortunate enough to win an Indian belle, was not the worst off during the days when the country was overflowing with homeseekers, most of them being without funds to withstand the hardships that always follow the opening of reservations.

The new homeseeker did not expect his wife to follow her old customs, yet they worked together and built a good home, and to them three years later was born a little girl, who was the pride of the ranch, and they named her Betty. Twelve years later the price of land was an inducement for the parents to sell, which they did, and moved to Kansas City, where Miss Caldwell received the best of education. When she had finished school she decided to go on the stage and soon after applied for a position in the chorus of one of the big musical shows; she was accepted, and when she finished the season her next step was vaudeville, working with a sextette of wonderful dancers over the eastern circuits. Her work in vaudeville won her all sorts of praise and last season she applied for the part of "Flower." She was put through the routine and proved that she was the girl for the part, for never was there a part written that could possibly have fitted her better. She wins her audience from her first appearance, for she is full of dash and ginger, pretty, magnetic, sings and dances; in fact, is an ideal ranch girl in every sense of the word.

"Miss Nobody" Coming.

Mort H. Singer has spared neither pains nor money to give "Miss Nobody from Starland," a gorgeous setting and a notable cast. The scenery and costumes are pronounced the most pretentious ever assembled for a Princess theatre production. The cast is one of extreme excellence and contains Olive Vail as its star. The chorus fully maintains the reputation of the Singer management of presenting a bouquet of American beauties in the big feature numbers.

The most sensational novelty is a big musical-comedy dress rehearsal. Stars, stage hands, author, comedian, chorus girls, and boys and all the backstage characters are shown as in real life. And such a rehearsal! It shows the stage manager a czar before whom everybody bows. The stars fight for "line" and "laughs," the author protests when his book is "cut," the chorus forget their business and the stage hands fall down on their "props."

But the stage manager is undaunted and finally the curtain goes up on a mock performance. Here is more fun. The audience sees the performance from behind the scenes and witnesses the desperation of the stage manager when the actors forget their lines and cues, stage hands forget to fire the shots in a battle and the float bearing the leading man to the prima donna at the height of the big scene refuses to work. The culmination of the difficulties comes when one stage hand forgets to turn on the "rain storm," which is supposed to be the piece-de-resistance of the production until the curtain is down, and the stage manager is yelling like a wild man: "Where the blank is the rain-storm."

"Miss Nobody from Starland" will be seen at the Victoria theatre for one night only, Thursday, August 31.

Madame Griselda's Concert.

Madame Griselda, world-famous soprano, and J. D. A. Tripp, Canada's premier pianist, are to appear in a grand concert on Friday evening, September 8, at the Alexandra Club, and the music-loving community of Victoria is looking forward with great anticipation of pleasure to this treat of the season. A programme of rare excellence has been prepared to be presented by these two eminent artistes—giving all lovers of music an opportunity to satisfy their tastes.

Madame Griselda has been the distinguished guest of kings and queens throughout the world, and has so endeared herself to the hearts of royalty—by her magnificent voice and style of singing — that already they are looking forward to her return tour.

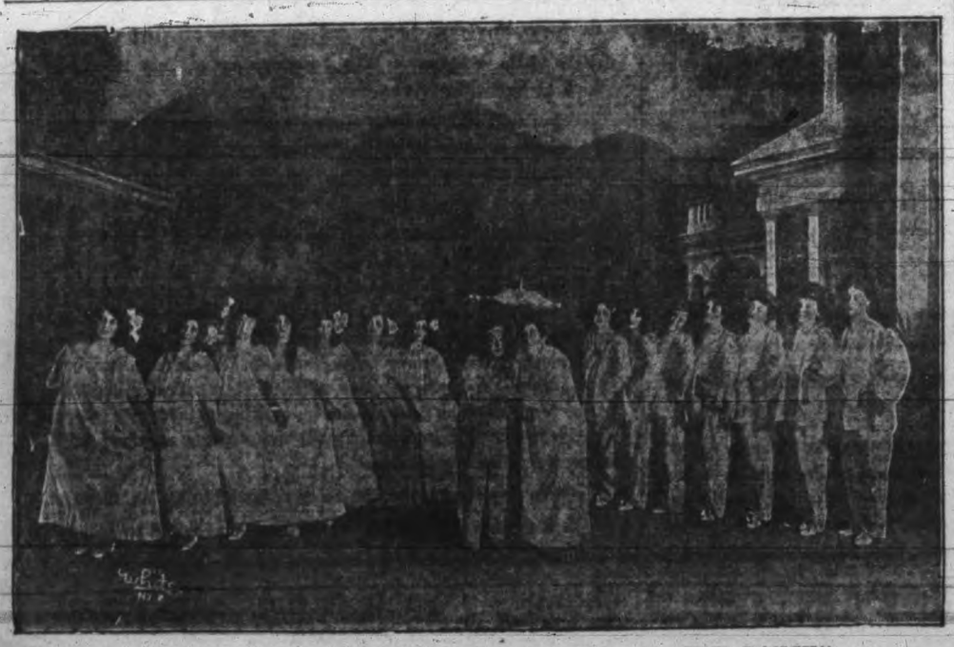
Victoria music-lovers have already had evidences of Mr. Tripp's artistry, so a double treat is indeed to be expected from two such distinguished artists.

The Melbourne Age says: Madame Griselda, as her opening item, sang that fine sample of Gounod's work, the grand aria from the "Queen of Sheba," which she sang with soulful expression and exquisite finish. It was no wonder that she was enthusiastically encored when the "Land o' the Leal" (always popular) was sung as it has never been heard in Melbourne.

As this is the only appearance in Victoria of Madame Griselda prior to her departure on her world-tour a capacity attendance in the Alexandra ballroom is looked for.

"MISS NOBODY FROM STARLAND"

This big musical revue, one of Mart H. Singer's latest successes, is coming to the Victoria Theatre on Thursday evening.

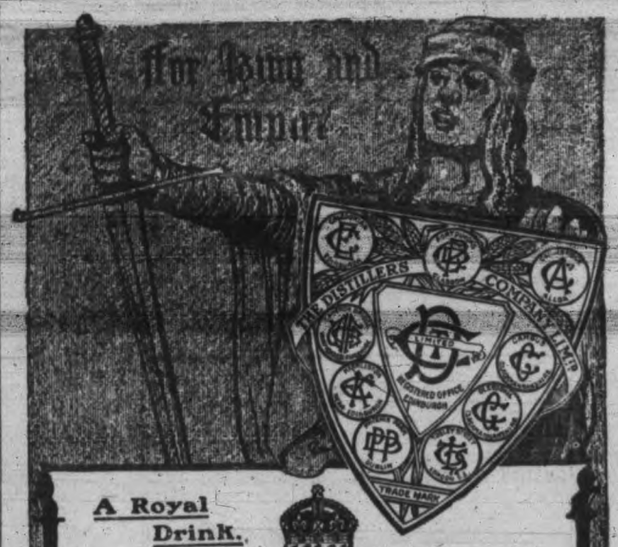


ONE OF THE SCENES IN "THE FLOWER OF THE RANCH"

The musical comedy which opens the theatrical season of 1911-12 at the Victoria Theatre, appearing there for two nights, Tuesday and Wednesday next

SCOTLAND'S NAVY.

Acting on the principle that "every picture tells a story," each of the illuminated and decorated tramcars run by the Glasgow corporation during Coronation week symbolized something. One of the most popular cars was designed to show a vessel of the sixteenth century, and was the work of Aberdeen, who were at considerable pains to give a suggestion of what the "Great St. Michael" was like. It was James IV. who first created an effective navy for Scotland, exhausting all available timber for shipbuilding, so that he had to ask France and Denmark for more; and of the sixteen large and small ships he owned his special pride was the vessel just named, the largest then existing. To build this dreadnought of her day all the woods of Fife were laid waste. She cost £30,000, an enormous value in those times, had a crew of 300 sailors, 120 gunners, and 1,000 marines, with "more great ordnance in her than the French king ever had to the siege of any town," as James himself boasted.



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H. J. WARWICK,
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SPEAKS SADO MARU LONG DISTANCE OFF

Estevan Communicates With Steamship 1,250 Miles Away —Will Be Here Wednesday

Picking up a wireless message from a steamship over twelve hundred miles away, was the record of the station at Estevan last night. The operator there was talking with the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Sado Maru, Capt. Richards, now on her way here from Yokohama and scheduled to dock at the outer wharf on Wednesday. It is expected that she will be in port early in the morning and be able to get away for Seattle about noon in order to obtain a pratique at the Port Townsend quarantine station before it closes in the evening.

When spoken last night the skipper of the Maru gave his position at 10 p.m. as being lat. 49.45 north and long. 156.14 west. The steamship was then 1,250 miles from Estevan, and it is figured that she should cover the remainder of the long journey by Wednesday morning. The Nippon liners make approximately 300 miles a day, and it is not likely that she will dock here ahead of her schedule.

The Maru is racing across the Pacific with a large cargo of silk, valued at over half a million dollars. After discharging her local freight, the Maru will head for Seattle, where the silk goods will be rushed east to New York on a special train. Besides the Maru has a large cargo of porcelain, matting, curios, soy, miso, rice, sugar and furniture.

Many cabin passengers are reported to be coming across on the big steamship, several of whom are for Victoria. The Chinese population of Victoria will be augmented with the arrival of the liner, as she has a small colony of Celestials on board.

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TENDERS CLOSE FOR GLACIER POINT AID

Construction Work Will Start Shortly on New Lighthouse —Another for Pt. Atkinson

Within a very short time the contract for the erection of the new first-order lighthouse on Glacier Point, some distance to the westward of Race Rocks, will be awarded by the Dominion government. The time for the receiving of the bids expired at noon today and after they are considered by the officials of the marine and fisheries department at Ottawa the successful contractor will be informed that his tender has been accepted and work will commence immediately.

At the close of the present month another batch of tenders will be received by the department, relative to the construction of a new concrete lighthouse at Point Atkinson. For many years there has been a lighthouse at Atkinson, which is just outside the entrance to Vancouver harbor, but it has become rather small for the work. In its place will be reared one of the latest type of towers on the coast. The lantern which will be of the same power as those at Triangle, Estevan and Pachena, having a radius of about fifteen mies.

Whenever it is essential to have a lighthouse, beacon or buoy established on any part of the coast the recommendations sent to Ottawa asking for them are always given full consideration of the officials and granted. Since the present government has been in power both the west and east coasts of Vancouver Isand and the Mainland coast have been so well lighted that now a shipwreck in British Columbia waters, due to the lack of aids to navigation, is almost unknown. Although the coast appears to be in fine shape for mariners, the government is not content, but is pursuing an active policy and preparing for the opening of the Panama canal, when there will be a large influx of shipping to British Columbian ports. With the coast well lighted it will be an attraction for steamship companies and will place Victoria, Vancouver and Prince Rupert on a better footing to compete with neighboring cities for the trade.

The schooner Annie M. Campbell, which is reported arriving on the Sound Thursday, is expected at Tacoma to load a cargo of lumber for Southern California.

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The Norwegian steamer Hornelen, which is completing her lumber cargo at Tacoma, will probably leave tomorrow for Australia.

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The schooner Salem has left Los Angeles for Tacoma to load a cargo of lumber for the return to the Southern California port.

SKIPPER IS BACK TO BRIDGE AGAIN

Capt. Barney Johnson Renewing Command of Rupert Tomorrow—Party Goes North

With her customary regularity, the Grand Trunk Pacific steamer Prince Rupert, Capt. Duncan McKenzie, will arrive in port to-morrow morning at 7 o'clock from Stewart and Prince Rupert. She was reported by wireless last evening in Milbank Sound and will reach Vancouver about 10 o'clock tonight. Her southbound passenger list is very large, including over one hundred first cabin and nearly an equal number travelling as steerage.

Capt. Barney Johnson, who relinquished command of his ship for one trip in order to have his injured eye treated, will be on the bridge of the Rupert when she pulls out for the north again on Monday morning. The well known skipper was standing to the windward of a friend who was smoking a cigar, on last southbound trip, when a few of the red ashes were blown into his eye and badly burned it.

When the Rupert sails from Vancouver on Monday night she will have on board the party of Grand Trunk Pacific officials, who are making their annual tour of inspection of the company's interests. Chairman Smithers and Charles H. Hayes are among the party and on their return from the north will visit Victoria. It is expected that they will have several announcements to make regarding the extending of the company's steamship service and the new dry dock to be built at Prince Rupert.

Wireless reports received at Cordova, Alaska, to-day give information that the steamer Northwestern, which left there Thursday night is struggling against a severe storm. The vessel is south of Cape St. Elias. She carries a large passenger list and many prominent men, including J. H. Young, president of the Alaska Steamship Company; J. A. Edson, president of the Kansas City, Southern Railway; Judge W. H. Bogle, chief attorney of an Alaska syndicate; C. W. Megrath, a big eastern coal operator; President Labaree of the Alaskan Northern Railway; J. B. Nelson, of the Associated Press; E. F. Gray, president of the Great Northern Development Company, and L. C. Dillman, president of the Alaskan Development Company.

LEAGUE BIDS TOO LOW.

Vancouver Navy Organization Tender for Purchase of H. M. S. Egeria Not Accepted.

All the tenders for the purchase of H. M. S. Egeria, including that of the Vancouver branch of the Navy League, have been rejected by the British Admiralty, and it is announced that the historic vessel will be put up at public auction at Esquimalt, according to official advices received here yesterday.

Over $5,000 had been subscribed by the Vancouver public for the purpose of obtaining the warship for conversion into a training ship to be stationed in Burrard Inlet. Officers of the Navy League who sent in the tender for the league expected that they would be successful, and that within a year the wooden vessel would be manned by an efficient instructor for the boys of Vancouver.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

August 25.

Portland, Ore.—Arrived: Steamer Elmore, Tillamook; French barque Ernest Lagouve, Newcastle, N. S. W.; steamer Claremont, San Francisco.

Tacoma—Sailed: Japanese steamer Tamba Maru, Seattle.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Sailed: Svea, Gray's Harbor; Centralia, Aberdeen; A. B. Johnson, Gray's Harbor; Shoshone, Columbia River.

Seattle—Arrived: Steamer Atlas, towing barge 93, San Francisco; City of Puebla, San Francisco; Buckman, Tacoma; Eureka, Sound ports; Tamba Maru, Tacoma. Sailed: Steamers Dolphin, Skagway; President, San Francisco; Luceric, Orient; Buckman, San Francisco.

San Francisco, Cal.—Arrived: Steamers Candidate, Nanaimo; Graywood, Mukilteo; schooner Albion, Bandon; steamer Spokane, Ludlow; barge St. David, Seattle. Sailed: Steamers George W. Elder, Astoria; Fair Oaks, Gray's Harbor; barkentine Tricolor, Mahukona; Kohala, Gray's Harbor.

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WIRELESS REPORTS

August 26, 8 a. m.

Point Grey—Clear, wind N. W. light, 30.02, 63, sea smooth. In, Vadso at 6.45 a. m.

Cape Lazo—Clear, wind N. W. light, 30.04, 77, sea smooth. Quadra at Comox at 8 a. m.

Tatoosh—Clear, wind N. E. 18 miles, 30.02, 53, sea moderate. Out, President at 7.35 p. m., barge towing north at 7.30 p. m. In, Watson at 7.35 a. m.

Pachena—Clear, calm, 29.75, 65, sea smooth.

Estevan—Cloudy, wind N. W. light, 29.64, sea smooth, fog bank seaward. Large steamer abeam off here at 1.05 a. m. northbound. Spoke Sado Maru at 3 a. m., position at 10 p. m. lat. 49.45 north, long. 156.14 west, at 1250 miles from Estevan.

Triangle—Foggy, wind S. W. 30, 29.50, 46, dense seaward. Spoke Prince George in Fitzhugh ound at 6.15 p. m. northbound, Prince Rupert in Milbank Sound at 7 p. m. southbound, Alameda in Queen Charlotte Sound at 11 p. m. northbound.

Ikeda—Clear, wind N. W. light, 30.04, 60, sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Overcast, calm, 30.05, 60, sea smooth. City of Seattle arrived here at 2 a. m. southbound.

The Weir steamer Boveric, which completed her cargo at Tacoma Wednesday and steamed for Australia, was reported passing out at Cape Flattery on Thursday. The Boveric's Tacoma cargo was valued at $21,666, and consisted of 285,000 feet of lumber valued at $3,680; 15 cases of machinery valued at $5,511, and general cargo valued at $12,415.

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The British ship Oweene, from the Columbia river for the United Kingdom, was spoken July 21, in latitude 9 south, and longitude 30 west. Her mizzenmast was sprung, but she reported all well.

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The American-Hamaiian Steamship Company's steamer Columbian, loaded with general freight, sailed Thursday from Tacoma for the Hawaiian islands. The Columbian arrived with freight from New York.

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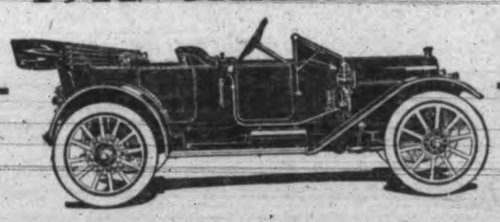

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TWENTY-FIVE KILLED IN WRECK

DISASTER CAUSED BY BROKEN RAIL

Over Two Score of Passengers Injured—Eleven of Victims Not Identified

Manchester, N. Y., Aug. 26.—A carload of rough pine boxes was delivered here to-day and before daylight farmers and villagers began carting them to the temporary morgue, where lay twenty-two bodies of those who were killed yesterday in the wreck of the Lehigh Valley train on the trestle over Canandaigua creek. These twenty-two with three others in the morgue at Rochester, probably will complete the list of dead, unless more deaths occur among the fifty or sixty injured.

It is now established that the wreck was caused by a broken rail. Three cars out of the train of four plunged from the track.

The train was bound from Buffalo to Jersey City and a majority of those on board were on their way to their homes in New Jersey and eastern Pennsylvania. One woman, now at Thompson Memorial hospital, Canandaigua, has a fractured skull and cannot live, but so far as known the other injured will recover.

Coroner Elseline has been making careful efforts to obtain the names of the injured, but so many were taken away to various cities, including Geneva, Canandaigua, Rochester, and smaller intermediate places that a complete list is almost impossible to compile. Linemen have strung temporary wires around the wreck and across the creek and inquiries are now being received from anxious persons which, it is expected, will lead to additional identification.

This morning eleven of the twenty-two bodies in the Shortsville morgue had not been identified. They include nine women, one man and a six-year-old child whose mother is said to be one of the unidentified dead.

Coroner Elseline said this morning: "I have decided to hold the inquest Monday in the town hall in Shortsville. I am getting out subpoenaes for the train crew, railroad track inspectors, passengers and eyewitnesses. It will be impossible to hold any inquest to-day. The public service commission of the second district has three officials here under the direction of Archibald Buchanan."

A gang of 200 Italians with two steam derricks was busy all night at the scene of the wreck, and a great portion of the wrecked cars, excluding those at the bottom of the gully, were removed and the main line was cleared before midnight, so that trains might cross the bridge slowly.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
New York, Aug. 26.

	High.	Low.	Bid.
Amn. Beet Sugar	49¼	48	48¾
Amn. Can., pref.	83¼	82¾	83
Amn. Car. & Foundry	48⅞	48¼	48¼
Amn. Smelting	68½	67¾	68¼
Amn. Tel. & Tel.	132½	132¼	132⅜
Anaconda	34½	34	34
Atchison	103	102¼	102¾
B. & O.	99⅞	99¾	99⅞
B. R. T.	74⅞	74⅞	74⅞
C. P. R.	232	230½	231½
Central Leather	23½	23	23
C. & O.	71¾	71¾	71
C. & G. W., pref.	38	37½	39½
C., M. & St. P.	112	111¼	111¾
Con. Gas	133	132½	133
D. & R. G.	23½	23	23½
Erie	28¾	28½	28⅞
Do., 1st pref.	47½	47¼	47½
Goldfield Cons.	5½	5⅜	5⅜
G. N., pref.	121⅞	120½	121¼
G. N. Ore ctfs.	47⅞	47¼	47⅝
Illinois Cent.	138½	138	138
Inter-Metro.	14½	13½	14
L. & N.	141	140⅞	140½
Lehigh Valley	160¼	159½	159
Chino	17½	17¼	17⅞
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	131	130	130½
M., K. & T.	29¾	29½	29⅜
Mo. Pacific	40⅞	40¼	40⅝
Nat. Lead	48¾	48⅜	49
Nev. Cons.	17	16⅞	16¾
N. Y. C.	102⅞	102¼	102½
N. Y., O. & W.	39½	39	39¼
N. & W.	101	100⅞	101
N. P.	115½	115	115¼
Pressed Steel Car	30¼	30	30
Railway Steel Spg.	30¼	30	30
Reading	140¼	139⅞	140⅛
Rep. Iron & Steel	25½	24⅞	24½
Rock Island	25¼	25	24¾
S. P.	109⅞	108⅞	109½
Sou. Railway	27	26⅝	26
Do., pref.	67¼	67¼	67¼
Tenn. Copper	31⅞	30⅞	32
Texas Pacific	23⅞	22⅞	23½
U. P.	167	165⅞	166⅜
Do., pref.	90½	90	90
U. S. Steel	70	69⅞	69¾
Do., pref.	114½	114½	114
Utah Copper	42½	41½	41⅞
Va. Car. Chem.	52⅞	51½	51⅞
Wabash	13⅞	13⅜	13⅜
Do., pref.	28⅝	28⅞	28⅞
Westinghouse	64½	64	64

Total sales, 314,600 shares.

THE CITY MARKET

Oils.		
Pratt's Coal Oil		1.60
Eocene		1.75
Meats.		
Hams (B. C.), per lb.	.20@	.25
Bacon (B. C.), per lb.	.25@	.28
Hams (American), per lb.		.25
Bacon (American), per lb.		.35
Bacon (long clear), per lb.		.22
Beef, per lb.	.10@	.30
Pork, per lb.	.10@	.25
Mutton, per lb.	.15@	.30
Lamb, hindquarter	2.50@	3.00
Lamb, forequarter	1.75@	2.00
Veal, per lb.	.10@	.30
Suet, per lb.		.15
Farm Produce.		
Fresh Island Eggs		.50
Butter, Cowichan		.50
Butter, Victoria		.50
Butter, Salt Spring		.45
Butter, Eastern Townships		.35
Lard, per lb.		.20
Western Canada Flour Mills.		
Purity, per sack		1.80
Purity, per bbl.		7.10
Hungarian Flour.		
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per sack		1.80
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per bbl.		7.10
Robin Hood, per sack		1.80
Robin Hood, per bbl.		7.10
Vancouver Milling Co., Hungarian, per sack		1.80
Vancouver Milling Co., Hungarian, per bbl.		7.10
Lake of Woods, per sack		1.80
Lake of Woods, per bbl.		7.10
Calgary Hungarian, per sack		1.80
Calgary Hungarian, per bbl.		7.10
Enderby, per sack		1.80
Enderby, per bbl.		7.10
Pastry Flours.		
Silver Bell		1.65
Snowflake, per sack		1.75
Snowflake, per bbl.		7.00
Vancouver Milling Co., Wild Rose		1.75
Drifted Snow, per sack		1.75
Grain.		
Wheat, chicken feed, per ton	35.00@	45.00
Wheat, per lb.		.02½
Barley		40.00
Whole Corn		40.00
Cracked Corn		42.00
Oats		35.00
Crushed Oats		37.00
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 7-lb. sk.		.35
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 20-lb. sk.		.90
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 40-lb. sk.		1.90
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 80-lb. sk.		3.50
Oatmeal, 10-lb. sack		.50
Oatmeal, 50-lb. sack		2.25
Rolled Wheat, 10 lbs.		.65
Cracked Wheat, 10 lbs.		.55
Wheat Flakes, per packet	.12½@	.35
Whole Wheat Flour, 10 lbs.		.40
Graham Flour, 10 lbs.		.50
Graham Flour, 50 lbs.		1.75
Feed.		
Hay (baled), per ton	20.00@	23.00
Straw, per ton		16.00
Middlings, per ton		33.00
Bran, per ton		32.00
Ground Feed, per ton		33.00
Shorts		23.00
Poultry.		
Dressed Fowl, per lb.	.25@	.35
Ducks, per lb.	.25@	.30
Geese (Island), per lb.	.20@	.25
Garden Produce.		
Carrots, per lb.		.03
Onions, per lb.		.05
Cabbage, per lb.		.03
Potatoes (local)		3.50

WHOLESALE MARKET.

Bacon		.21
Hams		.21
Lard		.13½
Cheese	.15@	.15½
Creamery Butter		.30
Eggs (local)		.40
Eggs (California fresh)		.35
Eggs (Eastern)		.30
Bananas		.05½
Beets, per sack		2.50
Cabbage, per lb.	.03½@	.04
Cauliflower, per doz.		1.75
Grapefruit, per box		4.25
Lemons	5.50@	7.00
Lettuce, per crate		1.25
Oranges, Navel, case		4.50
Onions (Australian)		4.50
Onions (California)		.02½
Turnips, per sack		2.00
Haddies, per lb.		.10
Parsley		.40
Almonds, per lb		.20
Filberts, per lb.		.07
Peanuts, roasted		.10
Walnuts, per lb.	.16@	.21
Cucumbers (hot-house), per doz.		1.00
Green Onions		.40
New Potatoes (local)		38.00
Cherries, preserving		3.00
Canteloupes		4.00
Peaches		1.25
Plums		2.00
Watermelons, per lb.		.02
Raspberries, per lb.	.15@	.20
Loganberries		.12½
Apples, new (California), box		2.50
Pears, Bartletts		2.50
Apples, Gravenstein		3.50
Grapes, Malaga		2.50
Grapes, black		2.00
Nectarines		2.50
Peaches, clings		1.10
Peaches, freestone		1.25

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE.

Victoria, Aug. 26.

	Bid.	Asked.
Alberta Canadian Oil	.04½	.07
American Canadian Oil	.14	.16½
Canadian Northwest Oil	.04⅞	.05½
Can. Pac. Oil	.17	.24½
Diamond Vale Coal & Coke	....	.06½
Granby	27.00	28.50
International Coal & Coke	.61	.64
Nicola Valley Coal & Coke	....	65.00
Royal Collieries	.08½	.10
Western Coal & Coke	1.40	2.10
Maricopa	.03⅞	.03½
B. C. Copper	3.50	4.50
B. C. Packers, com.	52.00	....
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Great West Permanent (a)	116.00	123.00
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Stewart Land	9.50	10.50
Bitter Creek	....	.20
Glacier Creek	.05	.05½
Klaskino	.04	....
Lasqueti	.01	.01½
Lucky Calumet	.01	.03
Lucky Jim Zinc	.34	....
Main Reef	....	.09
Nugget Gold	.63	.67
Portland Canal	.16	.16½
Portland Wonder	.02	.05
Rambler Cariboo	.55	....
Red Cliffs	1.02	1.09
Snowstorm	.20	....
Snowshoe	....	.02
Stewart M. & D.	.90	1.02
Coronation	.45½	.46
Kootenay	.20	....
S. A. Warrants	725.00	....

Sales.

10,000 Maricopa Oil	.03½
500 Coronation	.46

TORONTO STOCKS.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
Toronto, Aug. 26.

	Bid.	Ask.
Amal. Asbestos	9	..
B. C. Packers "A"	88	..
Do., "B"	90	..
Do., common	50	..
Bell Telephone	145	..
Canada Cement	20⅞	21⅞
Can. Gen. Electric	..	112
Consumers Gas	193	..
Detroit United	71½	72½
Dom. Iron, pref.	102⅞	..
Dom. Steel Works	50½	..
Dom. Telegraph	104	109
Duluth Superior	81	81½
Illinois, pref.	90½	..
Laurentide	223	..
Maple Leaf	60	62
Do., pref.	97	99
Mex. L. & P.	..	96½
Montreal Power	162	..
Niagara Nav. Co.	112	..
N. S. Steel	..	97
Penmans	..	56½
Do., pref.	..	90½
Porto Rico Railway	65	66
R. & O. Nav. Co.	..	116⅞
Rio Janeiro Tram.	112	112½
Sao Paulo Tram.	..	175
Shredded Wheat	70	..
Toronto Railway	131½	..
Winnipeg Railway	230	235

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
Chicago, Aug. 26.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Sept.	90¼	90⅞	90¼	90⅞
Dec.	94⅞	95¼	94½	98⅝
May	...	101	100⅞	100⅞
Corn—				
Sept.	64⅞	64⅞	64⅞	64⅞
Dec.	61⅞	62	61⅞	62
May	64⅞	64⅞	64¼	64
Oats—				
Sept.	42	42⅞	42	42½
Dec.	44⅞	45	44⅞	44¼
May	47½	47⅞	47½	47¼
Pork—				
Sept.	16.20	16.25	16.20	16.25
Jan.	16.30	16.37	16.25	16.37
Lard—				
Sept.	9.30	9.37	9.25	9.37
Jan.	9.07	9.07	9.00	9.07
Short Ribs—				
Sept.	8.95	9.00	8.92	8.97
Jan.	...	...	...	8.40

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Matins.

Organ—Andante ..... Guilmant
Psalms—As set .....
Te Deum ..... Woodward
Benedictus ..... Garrett
Hymns ..... 404, 467 and 596
Organ—Pastorale ..... Barnby

Evensong.

Organ—Allegretto ..... Tours
Processional Hymn 695
Magnificat ..... Smart
Nunc Dimittis ..... Felton
Anthem—Sweet is Thy Mercy .... Barnby
Hymns ..... 571, 775 and 588
Amen ..... Newkomm
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Venite ..... Hine
Psalms for 27th Morning .....
..... Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum ..... Russell
Benedictus ..... Garrett
Anthem .....
Hymn 172
Litany—As set .....
Hymns ..... 271 and 201
Organ—Postlude .....

Evensong.

Organ—Prelude .....
Processional Hymn 290
Psalms for 27th Evening .....
..... Cathedral Psalter
Cantate ..... Crotch
Deus Misereatur ..... Hopkins
Anthem—O Gladsome Light .... Sullivan
Hymns ..... 271 and 27
Amen ..... Burnett
Vesper ..... Burnett
Organ—Postlude .....

St. Barnabas', corner of Cook street and Caledonia avenue. There will be a celebration of the holy eucharist at 8 a. m., choral matins and litany at 11 a. m., choral evensong at 7 p. m. The rector, Rev. E. G. Miller, will be the preacher for the day. All seats are free and unappropriated. The musical arrangements are as follows:

Morning.

Organ—At Dawn ..... K. Hall
Venite and Psalms .... Adult Psalter
Te Deum ..... Jackson in F
Benedictus ..... Rev. J. Troutbeck
Hymns ..... 12, 634 and 615
Offertory Anthem ..... Fitzgerald
Organ—Postlude ..... R. Richards

Evening.

Organ—Ora Pro Nobis ..... Piccolomini
Psalms ..... Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis .....
..... Dr. Harding in F
Hymns ..... 642, 659 and 599
Vesper—Lord, Keep Us Safe This Night.
Offertory Anthem ..... Fitzgerald
Organ—Quonium in G ..... Mozart

St. James', corner of Quelsec and St. John streets. Rector, Rev. J. H. S. Sweet. Holy communion at 8, matins and sermon at 11, evensong and sermon at 7. The music follows:

Morning.

Organ Voluntary .....
Venite and Psalms .... Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum ..... Goss
Benedictus ..... Barnby
Hymns ..... 174, 255 and 419
Organ Voluntary .....

Evening.

Organ Voluntary .....
Psalms ..... Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat ..... Love
Nunc Dimittis ..... Steggall
Hymns ..... 529, 303 and 23
Vesper Hymn ..... Thompson
Organ Voluntary .....

St. Saviour's, Victoria West. Rector, Rev. R. Connell. Holy communion, 8 a. m.; morning prayer and litany, 11 a. m.; evening prayer, 7 p. m. Sunday school, 2.30 p. m.; confirmation class, Tuesday evening, 8 p. m.

St. Mark's, Douglas street. Preacher, Rev. F. H. Fatt. Organist, G. A. Wace. H. A. Canfab. The music follows: H a. m., hymns 160, 280, 273 and 236; 7 p. m., hymns 176, 291, 184 and 24.

Pemberton Memorial Chapel, Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital. To-morrow there will be a celebration of holy communion at 8 a. m. Residents of the neighborhood cordially invited to attend.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL.

Church of our Lord, corner of Humboldt and Blanchard streets. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Services conducted and sermons preached by Rev. Thos. W. Gladstone. Morning subject, "The Lord Is King, the Multitude of the Isles May Be Glad Thereof"; evening, "Israel Delivered From Egypt." The music follows:

Morning.

Organ—Prelude ..... Volckmar
Venite—As set ..... Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum—Second Set .....
Jubilate—No. 1 .....
Hymns ..... 129, 579 and 553
Organ—Postlude ..... Geo. Forbes

Evening.

Organ—Andante ..... J. Leybach
Hymn 385
Psalms—As set ..... Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat—No. 4 .....
Nunc Dimittis—No. 2 .....
Hymns ..... 370, 575 and 25
Doxology—XVI. .....
Organ—March ..... A. Redhead

PRESBYTERIAN.

St. Andrew's, corner of Douglas and Broughton streets. Services will be held at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. The pastor, Rev. W. Leslie Clay, B.A., will occupy the pulpit at both services. Strangers heartily welcome. The musical selections are as follows:

Morning.

Organ—Quis Est Homo ..... Rossini
Psalm .....
Anthem—O, Worship the King ..... Nichol
Soprano Solo, Mrs. Codd.
Hymns ..... 250, 446 and 424
Organ—Offertoire in F ..... Merkel

Evening.

Organ—Grand Processional March .....
..... Francis G. Irong
Psalm .....
Anthem—Sing We Merrily ..... Lloyd
Hymns ..... 436 and 568
Solo—Light in Darkness ..... Cowen
Mrs. Greenwood.
Anthem—The Shadows of the Evening Hours .....
Soprano Solo, Mrs. A. A. Codd.
Organ—Postlude Cantique ..... Dubois

First, corner of Blanchard street and Pandora avenue. Rev. Dr. Campbell, minister. Services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday school at 9.45 a. m. Adult Bible class at 12.15 p. m. Dr. Campbell will give an address in the forenoon on "Congregational Prayer Meeting." Strangers cordially invited to all the meetings.

St. Columba, Hulton street, Oak Bay. Services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 2.45 p. m. Congregational prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. At the Sunday evening service James Adams, from Huron, Michigan, will preach. A fraternal welcome is extended to all. Rev. R. A. MacConnell, pastor.

Knox church, Stanley avenue. Sabbath services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sabbath school and Bible class at 2.30 p. m. Thursday prayer service at 8 p. m. A hearty welcome to strangers. Rev. Joseph McCoy, M. A., minister.

St. Paul's, corner of Mary and Henry streets, Victoria West. Rev. Dr. McRae, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school and adult Bible class at 2.30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 8.15 p. m. Strangers welcome to all services. Rev. Dr. McRae will conduct both the morning and the evening services.

CONGREGATIONAL.

First, corner of Pandora avenue and Blanchard street. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. The pastor, Rev. Hermon A. Carson, B. A., will conduct the services and preach. Theme of morning sermon, "The Secret of Strength and Fulness of Life"; subject of evening sermon, "The Man and the Hour; Where Are the Men?" Bible school at 2.30 p. m. A good place for everyone to attend. Adult Bible classes will hold a joint meeting at the same hour at Beacon Hill park, where all are welcomed. Monday at 8 p. m., Young People's Society will attend a union meeting at James Bay Methodist church. Tuesday, at 8 p. m. finance board will meet. Wednesday at 7 p. m., No. 7 troop Boy Scouts. Thursday at 8 p. m., meeting for fellowship and inspiration. Friday at 7 p. m., No. 8 troop Boy Scouts; at 8 p. m., choir practice. Good singing by choir and congregation at all public services. At the morning service Mrs. Greenwood, contralto will sing a solo, "The Better Land." The choir will render an anthem at the evening service, "Sun of My Soul, Thou Saviour Dear." Friends, strangers, visitors are cordially welcomed here.

METHODIST.

Metropolitan, corner of Pandora avenue and Quadra street. Pastor, Rev. T. E. Holling, B. A. Order of services: 10 a.m., class meeting; 11 a. m., public worship, subject of sermon, "Jeremiah in a Hopeful Mood":

Anthem—Thou, O Lord, Art Our Father ..... Barnby
Organ Prelude—Andante Grazioso .....
..... H. Smart
2.30 p. m., Metropolitan Sabbath school; 2.45 p. m., Belmont avenue Sabbath school; 7.30 p. m., public worship, subject of sermon, "The Streets of the City":
Organ Prelude—
(a) War March of the Priests .....
..... Mendelssohn
(b) Andante from Violin Concerto .....
..... Mendelssohn
Anthem—Abide With Me ..... Forrester
Solo—Abide With Me ..... Liddle
Mrs. Ticknor.

All cordially invited. Strangers, visitors and tourists specially welcome.

Esquimalt, corner of Esquimalt road and Constance avenue. The pastor, Rev. T. Keyworth, will preach on Sunday at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath school and adult Bible class at 2.30. Prayer meeting on Thursday at 8 o'clock. Miss I. Miller will render a solo on Sunday evening.

James Bay, corner of Michigan and Menzies streets. A. N. Miller, pastor. Rev. R. Newton Powell, of Vancouver, ex-president of the B. C. Conference, will preach at both services. The day will be observed as Epworth League anniversary day. Morning service at 11 o'clock and evening service at 7 o'clock. On Monday evening at 8 o'clock there will be a general rally of all the young people's societies when an address will be given by Rev. H. H. Rottmann, Christian Endeavor travelling secretary for the West. There will also be an excellent concert given under the auspices of the James Bay Epworth League. All are welcome. No admission fee. Prayer and praise service on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, and choir practice on Friday at 8 p. m.

Victoria West, corner of Catherine and Wilson streets. Services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Service of song by the choir at 7.15. The pastor, Rev. James A. Wood, will preach at both services. The subject in the morning will be "Spiritual Power and Success," and in the evening, "A Good Young Man." Sabbath school and adult Bible class at 2.30. The Epworth League has accepted the invitation of the Epworth League of James Bay to meet with them on Monday evening. Wednesday evening the Ladies' Aid will hold a social at the home of Mrs. McDonald, Wilson street. The choir will furnish a good musical programme. Refreshments free. Collection. Thursday, prayer and praise service at 8 p. m. Free seats and a hearty welcome to all.

Centennial, Gorge road. Pastor, Rev. A. Henderson. Services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. The pastor will conduct both services. Morning subject, "Hearing and Doing"; evening subject, "Was This World Made for Worldliness." Sunday school and adult Bible classes at 2.30 p.m. Mid-week prayer service on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The officials of the church have decided to change the hour of evening service from 7 to 7.30 o'clock, this decision to take effect to-morrow evening. Music for the day as follows:

Morning.

Anthem—Lord, for Thy Tender Mercy's Sake ..... Farrant
Evening.
Anthem—I Am Alpha and Omega .....
..... Stainer

BAPTIST.

First, temporary building, corner Yates and Quadra streets. Rev. John B. Warnicker, B. A., pastor. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Rev. J. Willard Litch, M. A., missionary evangelist for Western Canada, will be the preacher for the day. Sunday school, with ladies' Philathea and men's Baraca classes, immediately after the morning service. Monday, 3 p. m., donation party, under auspices of Ladies' Aid Society. Tuesday, 8 p. m., Sunday school teachers' and workers' meeting. Thursday, 8 p. m., mid-week service of church and Young People's Society.

Burnside Mission, Douglas street north. Services will be held on Sunday as follows: Morning at 11, subject, "A Deeper Life"; evening at 7, subject, "The Attraction of the Cross." School and Bible class at 2.45. A solo will be sung at the evening service. A cordial invitation to all.

Emmanuel, corner of Fernwood road and Gladstone avenue. Sermons by Rev. William Stevenson. Morning, 11, "All-Conquering Souls"; evening, 7.30, "Religion in the New Era—A Message to the Young Men and Women of To-day." Sunday school and adult Bible classes, 2.30. Prayer service, Thursday, 8 p. m. Choir practice, Friday, 8 p. m. Pastor's address, the manse, next to church. Strangers welcome. Seats free. The music follows. Leader, Fred. Parfitt; organist, Miss Florence Wood:

Morning.

Organ—Prelude .....
Holy, Holy, Holy .....
Hymn 368—Come, Gracious Lord .....
Anthem—Behold, How Good and Joyful ..... Clarke-Whitfield
Organ—Romance ..... Wylde
Hymn 429—My God and Father .....
Hymn 373—Jesus, Thy Boundless Love.
Organ—Concluding Voluntary .... Smith

Evening.

Organ—Prelude .....
Anthem—The Radiant Morn .. Woodward
Hymn 5—Before Jehovah's Throne?...
Anthem—The Sun Shall Be No More...
..... Woodward
Organ—Serenade ..... Schubert
Hymn 487—The Voice of Jesus .....
Hymn 69—Forward Be Our Watchword .....
Organ—March ..... Simper

Tabernacle, corner of Fairfield road and Chester street. Rev. F. T. Tapscott, M. A., pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. The pastor will preach in the morning, and Mrs. Wm. McLean will conduct the evening service.

LUTHERAN.

St. Paul's, Mears street, between Quadra and Vancouver. Lord's day services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. The morning service will be in German. Subject of sermon, "Your Justification Before God." English service in the evening, at which Miss Erna Papke will sing a solo. Friends and strangers are welcomed. Rev. Otto G. M. Gerbich, pastor.

Grace, English, corner of Queen's avenue and Blanchard street. Services will be held as follows: Morning service at 11 o'clock; subject of sermon, "God's Willingness to Reason With Us"; evening service at 7.30; subject, "The Effect of Ideals Upon Life." The Sunday school meets at 10 o'clock. Children may enrol at any time. Strangers and visitors always welcome at the services. Rev. William C. Drahn, pastor.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 935 Pandora avenue. Services on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday school meets at 12 o'clock noon. Testimonial meetings, Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock. Subject for Aug. 27th, "Christ Jesus." All are welcome.

OTHER MEETINGS.

Salvation Army, citadel, Broad street. Services: 7 a. m., knee drill; 11 a. m., holiness meeting; 2 p. m., Sunday school; 3 p. m., praise meeting; 7.30 p. m., salvation meeting. Public meetings during the week on Monday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 8 p. m. Rev. Frederick Longe, of Odessa, Wash., will preach on Saturday night and Sunday.

Pemberton Chapel, Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital. Service will be conducted on Sunday at 3 o'clock by Rev. T. Keyworth, pastor of Esquimalt Methodist church.

Aged Women's Home, McClure street. Rev. R. A. MacConnell will conduct service Sunday at usual hour.

Psychic Research Society, A. O. F. hall, Broad street. Mrs. L. D. Coombs will lecture. Messages after the lecture.

Society of Friends, Courtney street. Meeting for worship every Sunday at 11 a. m. Mission meeting at 7.30 p. m. Adult school for men, 9.30 to 10.45 a. m. A welcome to all.

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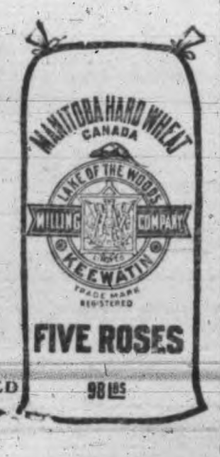

EXCHANGING FOODSTUFFS UNDER DIFFICULTIES

Table Showing Volume of Trade in Natural Products With Duties Between the Two Countries.

Some very misleading statistics are current as to the interchange between Canada and the United States of foodstuffs. In spite of the high duties on both sides of the line, there is a considerable exchange, showing that at times and places this is profitable, despite the obstacles placed in the way. We have prepared from official sources a table, herewith reproduced, which shows the Canadian exports to, and imports from, the United States in foodstuffs, with the current rate of duties charged by each country:

Article.	Canadian Duty.	Canadian Duty Paid from U.S. 1910.	United States Duty	Canadian Duty Paid to U.S. 1910.
Wheat	12c. bu.	$ 55,139	25c. bu.	$1,883,647
Barley	15c. bu.	99,810	30c. bu.	66,608
Oats	10c. bu.	13,833	15c. bu.	534,692
Beef	3c. lb.	76,815	1½c. lb.	12,635
Eggs	3c. doz.	177,577	5c. doz.	13,896
Butter	4c. lb.	16,163	6c. lb.	201,968
Sheep	25 p.c.	131,492	75c. to $1.50 ea.	587,694
Swine	25 p.c.	2,140	$1.50 ea.	6,207
Potatoes	20c. bu.	179,849	25c. bu.	349,104
*Green fruit		1,365,588	.....	304,711

* Canadian schedules on green fruits are: Apples, bbl. 40c; berries, 2c lb.; cranberries, etc., 25%; peaches, 1c lb.; pears, 2c lb.; bananas, pineapples, etc., free. The United States duties are: 25c a bushel for apples, peaches, pears, etc.; and berries, 1c per quart.

These statistics of Canadian imports from the United States are taken from a tabulated statement submitted to parliament on March 20, 1911, by Hon. W. Paterson in reply to an inquiry by a member. The figures as to wheat and many other items conflict with those published in Conservative campaign literature, but the above table is official and is correct. It will be seen that the total imports of natural products into Canada for the year 1910 paid duty at $1,957,306 while the exports to the United States for the same year paid $3,961,082. The result is somewhat startling. It shows that the balance of trade in duty on natural products amounts to $2,003,776 in favor of Canada. It will thus be seen that the products which are included in the reciprocity pact and from which the duty is to be removed constitute the chief items of exchange. It will pay the reader to cut this table out and keep it for reference in case of the distortion of facts and publication of false figures so often resorted to by the opponents of reciprocity.

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MAYOR OPPOSED TO NEW JAIL AT VERNON

Improvement Needed but Does Not Think Financial Position Will Allow More

Vernon, Aug. 25.—At the last meeting of the city council the petition for a by-law to raise $5,000 for a new Jail premises was discussed.

Ald. Smith, Glover and Cummiskey spoke strongly in favor of the petition. They agreed that a new jail was badly needed, and in their opinion money spent on remodelling the present building would be wasted.

His Worship Mayor Husband said he did not agree that $1,200 spent on the present jail would be throwing the money away. There were improvements wanted by the people, such as new roads and many other things, which were far more necessary than a new jail, he thought the money was needed for more important purposes. He fully recognized that a new jail was required, but did not think the financial position of the city allowed the expenditure. He would have to vote against the petition.

Notice was given that a by-law for raising $5,000 for new jail would be introduced at the next meeting.

FRASER RIVER FATALITY.

The Hope Steamboat Nugget says: "The people of Hope have been saddened many times lately by news of the drowning of men near Yale, none of them Hope men and most of them strangers to the district.

"A drowning accident occurred in front of Hope and in sight of many of its people. Three young Indians, William Lewis, Peter Pete and August Peter, were out on the river in a canoe. The canoe capsized. Two of them, Lewis and Pete, succeeded in climbing upon the bottom of the upturned canoe. They were swept down past Greenwood Island when they were picked up by Mr. Ryder who, hastily summoned, put out in one of Luke Gibson's launches.

"August Peter, the youth who was drowned, was 18 years of age, a quiet, inoffensive boy whose chief amusement and occupation was amateur photography. He was sitting in the middle of the canoe and apparently sank at once when the boat overturned.

"Constable Gravenor then investigated the case. Later he placed Adam Henry Wigmore under arrest on the charge of supplying liquor to Indians. Before Magistrates White-Fraser and Lethbridge, Wigmore pleaded guilty to supplying liquor to Indians, and Lewis of being intoxicated. Wigmore was sentenced to six months, and Lewis to one month's imprisonments in the provincial goal at New Westminster. Lewis' sentence includes hard labor; Wigmore, on account of his age, was spared that feature."

DEER DESTROY APPLE TREES.

Kaslo, Aug. 25.—Ranchers here are subjected to a good deal of annoyance from deer who come in the night time and brouse off the apple trees, not only eating the apples but stripping the leaves off the trees. A farmer who is looking after Col. Holmes' orchard reported that many of the trees were destroyed. The ranchers have no remedy apparently as the deer are protected by the game laws.

DEATH DUE TO HEART FAILURE.

Vancouver, Aug. 25.—The jury, inquiring into the death of the late Miss Alice Charles, who was found dead in her room at the Norfolk rooming house, 876 Granville street, last Monday morning, brought in a verdict that the deceased came to her death from acute cardiac dilation. Dr. and Mrs. Burton R. Charles of Portland, parents of Miss Charles, accompanied the body to Portland.

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GRANBY DEVELOPING MINES.

Prince Rupert, Aug. 25.—The final decision with regard to the location of the Granby smelter in the north has not yet been reached. This was the announcement of J. Graves upon his arrival here. He was accompanied by Mr. Sylvester, also of the headquarters staff. They have gone to Goose Bay to inspect the work there in progress. Mr. Graves said his company would wait until they had further reports in from some of the officials now on the field in the north before reaching a conclusion.

The party of Granby officials was accompanied here by Mr. Trewartha James, the head of the Tyee company, which has a model smelter at Ladysmith.

Mr. Graves said that the company was proceeding with the necessary work in conection with developing the mine. They were also installing power for the purpose and putting and pulling up the buildings that would be necessary. A force of about 150 men is now at work.

LIBERALS ENTHUSIASTIC.

New Westminster, Aug. 25.—Much enthusiasm was shown at the organization meeting of the Liberals held at the campaign headquarters, the principal speakers being Alex. Cruickshank, the campaign manager, and J. Francis Bursill, of Vancouver, an old gallery journalist in the British House of Commons. There was a large gathering to hear the speakers.

George Kennedy, president of the City Liberal Association, presided, and an interesting address was given by John Reid, a former president of the association. He had just returned from a visit to Ontario, Quebec, Minnesota and North Dakota, and had a good opportunity of looking into the political situation very closely.

A former speaker of the provincial house, T. W. Foster, came out strongly for reciprocity, and gave an excellent exposition of the case for free trade.

—Wm. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, over Terry's Drug Store, Douglas Street.

LAUNCH NAVIGATES THE UPPER NASS

Will Afford Means of Cheap Transportation for Settlers

Prince Rupert, Aug. 25.—After a three days' trip in the launch Wolverine with a survey party up the Naas River H. Robinson has returned to Prince Rupert. The trip he has just accomplished means a great deal for the Upper Naas country for the Wolverine carried two tons of freight and was drawing three feet of water when she made the trip through the Canyon. So far only light draught boats have managed the journey. The Wolverine has proved that heavier craft can do it, and the settlers up there just now are pleased at the prospect of easier freighting in supplies as the country opens up.

Mr. Robinson describes the country as extending into stretches of flat farming land covered with cottonwood, alder and maple trees. Berries of all kinds are abundant there, and in farther advanced stages of ripening than in this district. Raspberries literally falling off the bushes with ripeness grow wild. The cultivated patches of currants show bushes loaded down. Rainfall is lighter than in the coast region, and pleasant sunny conditions prevail with just sufficient rain.

Messrs. W. McLean and James Flynn have also returned from six weeks' prospecting and land staking trip into the Upper Naas country.

Regarding the navigation of the Naas through the Canyon, Mr. Robinson says that the main difficulty is with snags which lie in the eddies. A rock in the canyon is an obstruction. It is believed that the Dominion Government is to have it blasted out. Then the canyon will be easily navigable for fairly heavy freighted launches.

HONORED BY ODDFELLOWS.

Vancouver, Aug. 25.—Vancouver Oddfellows gave an enthusiastic reception in Orange hall to J. J. Miller, who has just returned from Brighton, England, where he attended the annual conference of Oddfellows as the representative of British Columbia in that order.

Mr. Miller, who was provincial grand master last year, was presented by Past Provincial Grand Master Partridge with a silver gilt past grand master's chain and collar suitably inscribed.

Mr. Miller suitably replied, expressing his thanks for the appreciation of his efforts on behalf of the British Columbia lodges. Mrs. Miller, who accompanied her husband to the hall, was presented with a beautiful bouquet.

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Eight-roomed House, North Park St., modern, heated by hot water, fine location; $1500 cash. Price $6,000
Six-roomed House on Richmond Ave., Fern, block in and heated by furnace; lot 60x132; easy terms; $1,000 cash. Price $7,000

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$200 Cash, the balance 6, 12 and 18, buys a lot 50x108 on Bowker Ave., near Willows. Price $630
$500 Cash and the balance 6, 12 and 18 months, buys a lot 60x120, on the Fairfield Estate between Richardson and Fairfield Rd. Price $1,500
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$350 Cash and the balance 6, 12 and 18 months, buys a lot 60x120, in Carnsew Subdivision, close to Moss street school. Price $1,050
$450 Cash and the balance 6, 12 and 18 months at 7 per cent. buys a lot on Wellington street, close to car line and sea. Size 50x146. Price $1,350
$800 Cash and the balance in 1 and 2 years at 7 per cent. buys 2 lots in Wilmot Place, off Oak Bay Ave., each 50x133; no rock. Price, for the two lots $2,400

HOMES

$700 Cash and the balance easy terms, buys a 4-room, modern cottage and lot, 52x157, on Faithful street, in Fairfield Estate. Price $2,800
$500 Cash, balance $25 per month at 7 per cent., buys a new modern cottage in Fairfield Estate, close to car line, with a lot 50x120. Price $2,750
Fairfield Road, 8-room house and lot 60x120. Terms. Price $3,000
Superior Street, close in, lot 60x120, with 7-room modern house; 1-3 cash, balance 1 and 2 years at 7 per cent. Price $4,500
May Street, Fairfield Estate, lot 50x157.6, all under cultivation; A1 soil; 1-3 cash, balance at 7 per cent. Price $1,200
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CITY OF VICTORIA

A complete list of Local Improvement Works, authorized by By-Law, from time to time, will be found posted on the Bulletin Board at the main entrance to the City Hall.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable:

1. To construct a permanent sidewalk on the east side of Russell street, from Milne street to Esquimalt road;

2. To grade, drain and tar macadamize Dalton street, from Esquimalt road to Wilson street, and construct permanent sidewalks of concrete on both sides of said street, with curbs and gutters, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains;

3. To grade drain and tar macadamize Suffolk street, from Dalton street westerly to Bowisby Place, and to construct permanent sidewalks, with curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains;

4. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement the lane to the west and rear of the Victoria, B. C., Board of Trade Building, as shown on a map deposited in the Land Registry Office on the 11th of July, 1888, and numbered 219;

5. To construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete (5 ft. wide) on the west side of St. Charles street, from the Fairfield road southerly to the sea.

6. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement, with a concrete base, Richmond avenue, from Lillian road to Fairfield road, and construct permanent sidewalks, with curbs and gutters and boulevards, on both sides of said avenue, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and move poles, if necessary;

7. To construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete on the north side of Richardson street, between Vancouver street and Cook street;

And that all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement General By-Law, and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council, in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of this by-law, upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said work, and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor as aforesaid having been adopted by the Council;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the said reports are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas street, and that unless a petition against any proposed work of local improvement above mentioned, signed by a majority of the owners of the land or real property to be assessed for such improvement, and representing at least one-half of the value of the said land or real property, is presented to the Council within fifteen days from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Council will proceed with the proposed improvement upon such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvement as the Council may by by-law in that behalf regulate and determine.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office, July 22nd, 1911.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Is hereby given, that the Express Traffic Association of Canada, on behalf of the express companies represented in Victoria, B. C., have made an application to the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada for approval of certain delivery limits. The said Board has fixed the date of hearing of the said application for the 31st day of August, 1911, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House in the City of Vancouver, B. C. All parties who are interested are requested to notify the City Solicitor in writing of their interest, and the City Solicitor will make arrangements to present the views of any interested party before the Railway Commissioner at the time and place aforesaid.

F. A. McDIARMID,
City Solicitor.
City Solicitor's Office, City Hall,
Victoria, B. C., Aug. 14th, 1911.

Pipes and Valves Required

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Friday, September 1st, 1911, at 4 p.m., for the following goods, viz.: 75 6 in. gate valves, 10,000 ft. 1-in. galvanized pipe, 500 ft. 1¼-in. galvanized pipe, 500 ft. 2-in. galvanized pipe. To be delivered in storeroom, Cormorant street, as per specification, which can be seen at the Purchasing Agent's Office.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
Purchasing Agent
City Hall, Victoria, B. C., Aug. 23, 1911.

Tenders for Incinerator

Tenders will be received up to Friday, the 25th inst. at 4 p. m., for the building of a new incinerator plant on the city property at the foot of Herald street, in accordance with the plans, specifications and conditions, which can be seen at the Purchasing Agent's office, to whom tenders must be sent.

The lowest, or any tender, not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
City Hall, Purchasing Agent.
Victoria, B. C., Aug. 22, 1911.

Electrical Installation

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p. m. Friday, Sept 1st, for the installation of Cluster Lighting on Fort Street from Douglas Street to School Street. Plans and specifications can be seen at the Purchasing Agent's Office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
City Hall. Purchasing Agent.
August 24, 1911.

Corporation of the District of Oak Bay

TENDERS FOR SIDEWALK

Tenders, sealed and endorsed, "Tender for Sidewalk," will be received by the undersigned up to 5 p. m. on Thursday, August 31, 1911, for the construction of a five-foot cement sidewalk on the west side of Newport Avenue, from Saratoga Avenue to Beach Drive, approximately 4,500 feet.

Tenders must be accompanied by a certified cheque equivalent to 5 per cent. of the amount of the tender.

The council do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

Plans and specifications may be obtained from

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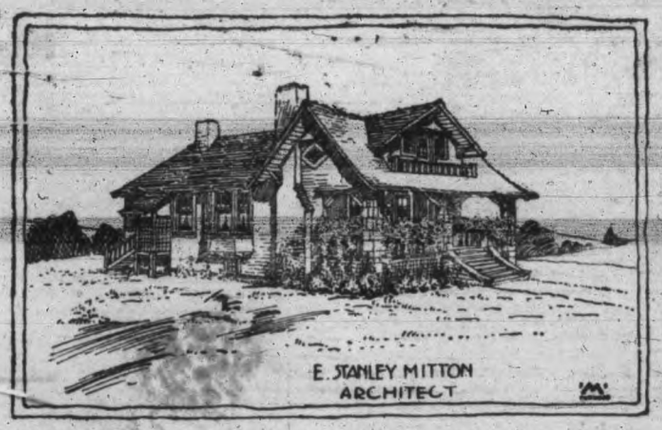

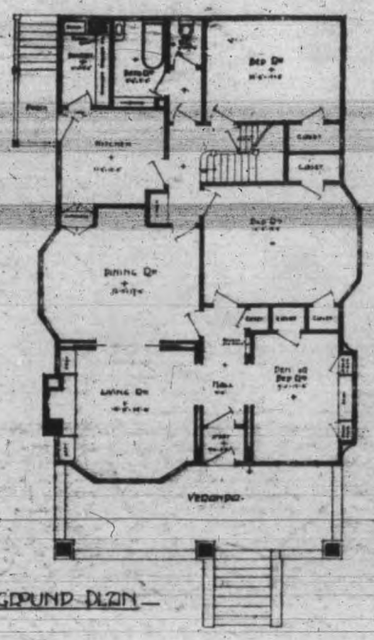

Probably it is better, as John Ruskin said, "to live in a cottage and have Warwick Castle to be surprised at, than to live in Warwick Castle and have nothing to be surprised at."

In these days of beautiful and artistic low cost homes, there is little difference between the mansions of the rich and the cottages of the artizans or laborers, except in size. In external grace and charm, in internal beauty, convenience and comfort, one class will compare most favorably with the other.

It is a fact that the kings of England were less comfortably lodged three or four centuries ago, than the poorest navvies at the present day. Palaces then were huge draughty barns. Illuminated by torches, or by crude dishes of tallow with floating cotton wicks, entirely lacking in sanitary conveniences, and ventilated by the eddying gusts of winds, which served to give a semblance of life to the gloomy tapestries and arras, embroidered in long hours, with confused and crude representations of battle scenes, with flashing armor, horses and men-at-arms.

When the effect of environment upon character is taken into consideration, it is not to be wondered at that the people of those times were sanguinary and blood thirsty in the extreme.

They had a few of those domestic virtues which we love and cherish so tenderly at the present day. Education was displised by the nobles as "clerkly" and something to be frowned upon, and many people of birth could do more than write their names. Books were rare indeed, and few were so fortunate as Chaucer's Canterbury student, who "had ten goode bookes at his bed's head." Itinerant story-tellers and wandering minstrels or troubadours, served to beguile the hours between dinner and bed time, and the long days were spent in the open air, following the hounds or riding after the waving banners and pennants of martial squadrons.

With smaller, more compact, warmer, and more convenient places of abode came a love of peaceful pleasures. The invention of the printing press fostered education, and created a reading public. Gas and the electric light dispel the shadows of night and make midnight synonomous with midday.

Charles Dudley Warner makes one of his characters complain that he never knew what to do between midnight and bed time. But even such an inveterate night hawk must finally have found relief in the newspaper or the latest novel fresh from the circulating library.

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As indicated by the plan, this bungalow may be regarded as a model of compactness. Not an inch of space has been wasted yet on the other hand it would be difficult to conceive of a pleasanter home for a small or medium-sized family, or a more convenient or comfortably arranged dwelling. On the second floor arrangements have been made for two large bedrooms. The above plan is worthy of careful study.

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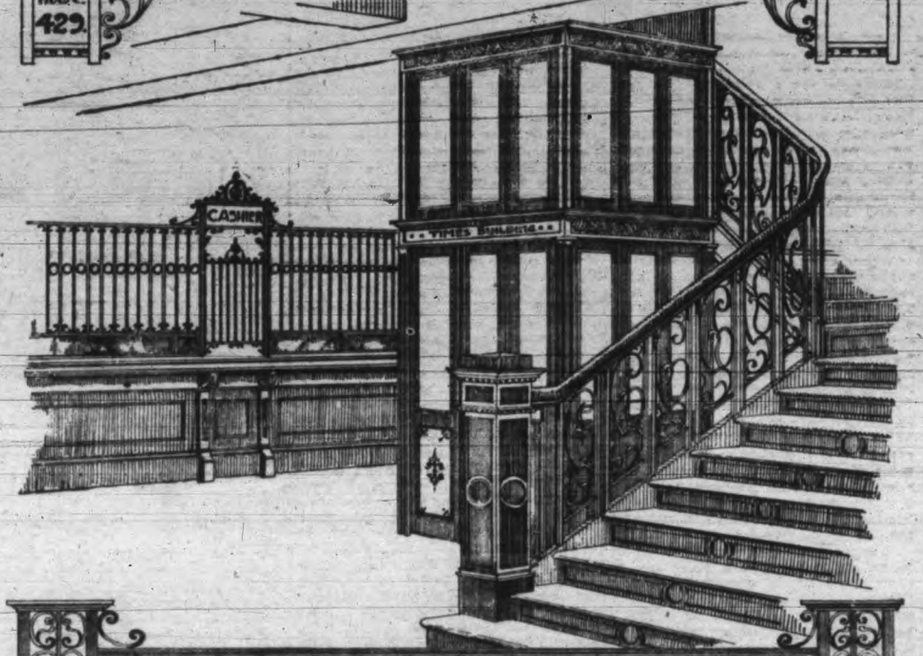

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RECIPROCITY FROM AN INDEPENDENT POINT OF VIEW

NO. II.

To the Editor:—I have read with great care and greater interest Premier McBride's Goldstream address. The pleasure of criticising that address is very much enhanced by the opportunity it affords me to pay a just tribute to that distinguished statesman. The Premier is a man of great ability, of unquestioned integrity, and of lofty patriotism; but all of these, to which may be added many excellent social qualities, do not render him immune from that infirmity which, alas, besets us all—the liability to err. It is too true also that this liability to err is not infrequently enhanced when stimulated by a perfectly laudable ambition to achieve party success.

The burden of the Premier's address is devoted to the establishment of two propositions, first:

That entering into reciprocal trade arrangement with the United States will tend to dilute, if not to destroy, Canadian loyalty to the Mother Country, and, second:

That it will create such close commercial bonds between Canada and the republic south of us as to practically peonize Canadian trade to American manipulators; that we shall find ourselves in the clutches of the great American octopus, yclept the trusts. Admitting that the pact or agreement provides that it may be abandoned at any time either party becomes dissatisfied with its operations, the distinguished Premier insists that if allowed to go into effect the Americans will get such control of Canadian commerce as to render it impracticable, if not impossible, for the latter to free itself from the toils of this southern control.

Without having the Premier's address before me as I write, I think I have stated his position fairly. I propose to discuss these propositions in the order in which I have stated them.

First, then, as to the sentimental question of loyalty to the Mother country. A very distinguished British statesman defined loyalty to the British government to consist in an intelligent appreciation of the English constitution, coupled with a profound reverence for the crown. Loyalty is the love one feels for his country. It is the child begotten of intelligence and instinct. We are by nature inclined to love our country. This love is instinctive, and voluntary. It cannot be coerced. You may by force compel a man to obey the law, but you cannot force him to love the law. Obedience to law is not therefore loyalty. True loyalty consists in devotion to one's country; a desire for its success and prosperity. It may not always imply one's approbation of the manner in which its affairs are being managed. Liberals and Conservatives in Canada should be alike loyal to the great British Empire, of which their Dominion constitutes so important a part; precisely as in the United States, Republicans and Democrats alike should be loyal to that great republic.

Now is there anything in the friendly reciprocal commercial relations proposed to be set up that imperils the loyalty of either party to it? Is it possible that an American will think the less of his government because it has procured for and in his behalf an agreement on the part of Canada that he will permit him to bring his goods into this country free of duty, and on the part of his own country that she will allow him to return with Canadian goods free of duty?

Is Canada going to become less loyal to the great British Empire because that power permits him to trade freely with his southern neighbors?

But the idea seems to prevail among many of our Conservative friends that close and intimate commercial relations between two peoples tend to beget and to foster close political relations; that reciprocity is the forerunner, the avant-courier, so to speak, of annexation, or consolidation, of the two republics or nations.

I am compelled to take issue with our Conservative friends by stating that the effect to be produced by close commercial relations is so far from being what they seem to fear, that it will have the very opposite effect. I state as a politico-economic doctrine to which an exception can nowhere be found that the closer the commercial and social relations of two distinct political bodies or societies, the more clearly defined and maintained will be their political integrity. That close commercial and civic relation breeds a spirit of segregation rather than that of aggregation. I propose to demonstrate this proposition, both by reason and experience.

First, then, as to the reason. All men are selfish. The man who says that he loves his neighbors and his country better than he loves himself may think that he is telling the truth, but he isn't. Altruism is pasti—that's all. The man who wrote, "'tis sweet to die for one's country" lived to a ripe old age and died in bed at home. All of this nonsense about immolating one's self on the altar of the country's good is political balderdash.

I am not inveighing against selfishness, it is the law of necessity; it is the motive power that keeps in motion the machinery of mental, moral, and physical existence. If no man loved himself better than he loved the rest of mankind, complete inanition would result. I do not deny that there are patriots, plenty of them, and sad it would be for the country were it otherwise; but when a politician or statesman tells me that he has devoted the best years of his life to a purely patriotic and altruistic service of his country without reference to his own good, I believe him of course, because it would be impolitic not to do so, but the draft he draws on my credulity is painful.

Now if individuals are selfish, so also are communities, counties, cities, provinces, dominions, kingdoms, empires, and nations; for all of these are but aggregations of individuals.

It matters not whether these communities are divided by natural or by artificial boundaries, nor whether remote or contiguous; except to say that the more contiguous, the more acute the rivalry. There runs through all of these communities a spirit of rivalry; a sense of jealousy pervades them all; and the closer their commercial and geographical relations the more acute the rivalry.

Hundreds of illustrations might be drawn from the experience of contiguous villages, thowns and cities. The two great cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul, situated in the state of Minnesota, are so closely united by continuous streets, so closely combined by a network of wire and rail, as to constitute practically and commercially but one city. Thousands of its oldest inhabitants would be unable to locate the line of division; and yet an intense rivalry exists, and has always existed, between them. The following story, the truth of which I am unable to affirm, was told to me. It was said that a new preacher unacquainted with the local conditions, was called to fill an appointment at one of the Minneapolis churches. He announced as his text a passage taken from St. Paul, whereupon every man, woman and child in the audience arose and left the church, refusing to hear a sermon preached from a text from St. Paul!

Segregation rather than aggregation is the spirit that controls all English-speaking people. Take the average Canadian or American, and he has a very strong suspicion that he is able to take care of himself; and generally speaking, he is right.

Local self-government, or the right of each state or province to control its own local affairs, is so strongly implanted in the heart and affection of every American and Canadian as to be beyond the reach of any adventitious appeal to a mere sentimentality.

But it is quite unnecessary to consume time in philosophizing on the reason why states and nations are unalterably opposed to coalition or unity; the fact that such a disinclination exists, and that it is insurmountable, and that contiguity intensifies it, is so abundantly attested by the world's experience as to render theorizing a work of supererogation.

Let us take the United States as an example, for it presents the best illustration which the world affords. That commonwealth is composed of forty-six states. Many of these states were carved out of territory originally belonging to individual states; Virginia contributing a sufficient area of territory to form states larger than herself. Since the independence of the original thirteen a number of states have been created by dividing old states; and yet during the entire period of our history not a state has been created by uniting two or more states. Segregation rather than aggregation has been the universal rule.

But the illustration which I have used is trifling when compared to that furnished by the counties into which the states are divided. How many of these I have not taken the trouble to ascertain; a thousand will suffice to furnish the illustration. These counties serve to divide the people into communities of more or less extent. The lines of separation are invisible; in many instances they could not be located by persons living contiguous to them without the aid of the county surveyor. Thousands of farmers occupy lands lying in two contiguous counties. Churches and school-houses are built in many instances on or near county lines for the common benefit of citizens of both counties. In many instances are to be found county towns which afford markets for the citizens of many of the surrounding counties. And as in the case of the states, so also as between the counties, there is no impost, nor tax, nor other obstruction to a perfectly free intercourse. In very many instances it would be in the interest of economy to unite some of these counties, thus dispensing with the cost of providing a large number of useless officers; and yet it is a historical fact that while hundreds of these counties have been formed by dividing old counties there is not an instance in which a new county has been formed by uniting two or more old counties. The American people, like their Canadian brethren, are not only willing but anxious to avail themselves of the advantage of inter-county and inter-state trade and traffic, but when it comes to surrendering their communal individuality by amalgamating in a political coalition with their neighbors, they repel at once any such suggestion; and who can blame them? It is human nature. We believe and hope that ere a great many years shall have elapsed Victoria will become the great shipping port for all southwestern Canada; but does any one apprehend that the province of British Columbia will ever become consolidated with any of the contiguous provinces simply because she is so closely allied with them commercially? The time may come, as sooner or later it will come, when the southern part of British Columbia will be erected into a separate province to commemorate the name of the world's greatest Queen; but no one will ever see any two provinces in Canada, nor any two states in the American union consolidated; and the political union of Canada and the United States is just about as probable as the union of France and Spain under one of the discredited and antiquated Bourbons!

In my next I shall discuss the second proposition, laid down by the distinguished premier to the effect that when once the trade pact has been agreed to the great American trusts will acquire such absolute control of Canadian commerce and trade as to render emancipation impossible.

A. A. FREEMAN.

HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS.

To the Editor—The Inner Harbor Association was formed in 1905 and consisted of the transportation companies, the mills, marine ways and other industries, together with the owners of wharves and waterside premises, as being the persons most interested in the waterways of approach, and best qualified to formulate a comprehensive scheme for harbor improvements such as would come within the range of practical politics. Having finally decided upon a feasible scheme, they laid their views before the commission on transportation (who reported favorably on the matter) and finally they secured the adoption of this scheme by the Dominion government. All subsequent work since 1906, has been carried out on this definite plan. More suitable plant is gradually being supplied to expedite the work and steady, if not rapid, progress is being made. The original plan has been amended in details from time to time, at the suggestion of the association, to meet altered circumstances, and will be further amended to meet developments as they arise. There are, however, no questions likely to arise with reference to the inner harbor (which is their limit of activity) that the association cannot, from its special qualifications, and in consultation with the harbor master, deal with in the general interests of the port without any other assistance.

The neighboring ports of Seattle, Tacoma, Portland and San Francisco are arranging to spend millions of dollars to meet the altered conditions of trade that will develop on the opening of the Panama canal; to receive and welcome the large influx of immigrants from the Old Countries, and also the manufactured products of the old established and better equipped industries in the East. These movements will give a wonderful stimulus to trade, increase population and tend to develop a more active mode of commercial life. Trade will travel along lines of least resistance,—where it is sought after and made most welcome,—given the greatest facilities. Unless we look after it we shall see it pass our doors; we shall have to pay more than our neighbors for all we get, and take their leavings.

The situation seems to me of more than local interest. The fostering of the trade of the Dominion is a Dominion question, and I would suggest that the government should issue a commission of inquiry as to what further public works are necessary for the ports of Victoria, Vancouver and Prince Rupert (as suggested by the transportation commission) to place them on an equal footing with the Sound ports, to enable them to meet that great change and development that must follow the opening of the Panama canal and deal with the question as a matter for the general good of the Dominion of Canada.

Whether this work could be dealt with by the Railway Commission I do not know; but they would be specially well qualified for the purpose, with their engineering staff to enable them to investigate details. They would have the confidence of all concerned and keep within the bounds of practical politics and reasonable expenditure. I will, with your permission, submit for consideration the question of harbor management.

THOS. C. SORBY.

BOY EMPEROR OF CHINA.

Interesting details have just been made public of the daily life of the baby Emperor of China, who is nearly six years of age and who lives secluded from the world, even his mother only being allowed to pay occasional private visits.

As soon as the Emperor Kuang-Hsu died the baby Pu-Yi was taken from his mother and placed in the Forbidden City in the hands of the Empress Dowager, who was henceforth regarded as the baby Emperor's mother. Even the hidebound etiquette of the Chinese court had to give way, however, to the imperial baby's grief at being separated from his mother, and arrangements had to be made for occasional visits.

The baby Emperor is addressed in the palace as Wan-Sui-Yeh (Lord of Ten Thousand Years). Every morning he is awakened at six o'clock by the singing of eight eunuchs, and he has three meals a day, at 8 a. m., noon, and 6 p. m., retiring to rest at 8 p. m. The baby Emperor's diet is a simple one, the only rule observed being never to put any article of food upon his table which cannot be procured immediately at any time of the year. The reason is that the Emperor is supposed to be given anything he asks for, and if this is impossible the unfortunate official responsible is liable to severe punishment. Among many other things the Emperor has never tasted fish.

The Emperor is said to be wilful by nature and to revel in mischief, especially when he can induce his attendants to follow him into a flooded courtyard after a heavy shower of rain. By a decree issued recently Lu-Jun-Hsiang and Chen-Pao-Ch'en were appointed imperial tutors, and it was directed that they should take up their duties upon an auspicious date to be determined by the Board of Astronomy. The latter selected the eighteenth day of the seventh month (September 10). Both these tutors are Chinese scholars of the old-fashioned type, but it is believed that a foreign tongue, probably English, will form part of the imperial curriculum at a later date.—London Mail.

SENTENCE OF GRAFTERS.

The graft trials in Moscow resulting from the army clothing scandals have ended in the conviction of fifty-three of the sixty-one accused. Three Generals and eight Colonels are among those sentenced for extortion and bribe taking. The sentences run from three years to one year in the criminal convict battalion of the army. Thus the ex-Generals will have the experience of shovelling sand and wheeling stone under the warder-ship of private soldiers.

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JAPHET IN SEARCH OF A FATHER.

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This novel followed the very successful one of "Jacob Faithful," and Marryat promised that in it he would quit the sea and find his hero among folk ashore. The promise was kept. Japhet never goes to sea and there is not a sea character in the whole story.

Though Marryat departed from the field peculiarly his own, he succeeded so well with his readers that while the story was running serially an American vessel signaled to a British one in mid-Atlantic: "Has Japhet found his father yet?"

"THIS child was born in wedlock. He is to be named Japhet. When circumstances permit, he will be reclaimed."

This note was attached to the infant that was left one night at the Foundling Hospital. A bank note for fifty pounds was inclosed in the letter. Thus Japhet was introduced as one of superior sort, and as he grew and became an extraordinarily fine looking lad every one in the hospital became more and more convinced that he was of good birth and that some day great people would claim him.

Circumstances, however, apparently did not permit his being reclaimed. He grew to be 14 and no one had inquired for him. Then the value of the fifty pounds appeared. Instead of binding him apprentice to some trade, the governors of the hospital, who had had the money by for him at interest, now used it to install him in the apothecary's shop of Mr. Phineas Cophagus, who engaged to train him for the profession.

Assenting to the request in the note, the governors had given him the Christian name of Japhet. For a surname they selected the name "Newlands," because that happened to be the name of the bank official whose signature ornamented the fifty pound note.

An even more simple way had been used by the overseers in the poorhouse to christen another lad whom Mr. Cophagus had taken in as errand boy. He was named after the workhouse pump, which had the name of Timothy Oldnixon on it as maker. As soon as he was old enough he was assigned to the duty of pumping the water. "Few sons worked their father more or disliked him so much," said Timothy with a grin when Japhet was installed in the shop.

The two lads became close friends very quickly, but it was a friendship in which Japhet was the patron, while Timothy was the admiring and respectful subordinate. There are castes everywhere, even among foundlings. Timothy felt assured that his own parents were not persons worth finding, and he felt equally assured that the fifty pounds and the mysterious letter guaranteed Japhet's parents as something aristocratic.

Japhet, for his part, was convinced of it. His mind had occupied itself with reflections over his parentage from the time he could think, and when he entered the apothecary's shop he was firmly convinced that some day he would be claimed by people who would give him the rank of gentleman.

Gradually the mystery of his birth became his one subject of thought and care. He spoke about it constantly; and, though Mr. Cophagus would say: "Good boy—very good boy—don't want a father," whenever the question was put to him, Japhet did want a father more and more every day, until it became an obsession.

Happily, the governors of the Foundling Hospital had given him an excellent education and a training that made him ambitious to learn more. Therefore, he studied steadily and soon made himself an efficient apothecary.

He saved the small sums that came into his hands like a miser, determined that he would go out into the world and seek for his father as soon as his time with Mr. Cophagus expired. Circumstances brought this about sooner than he expected. Mr. Cophagus sold his shop, and after giving Japhet twenty pounds and Timothy five, offered to get new positions for them.

Japhet declined and announced that he would set out in search of his father; and Timothy declared that he would go with Japhet as companion, friend or servant, whichever his patron might prefer.

They set forth with their bundles. "The wise men came from the east," said Japhet. "They must have gone toward the west, then. Let us go in that direction."

It was a random journey, and, as random journeys always do, brought them to adventure sooner than if they had gone forth scientifically to seek it. They struck a bargain with a wagoner for a ride in his covered cart and there met a strolling little band—a dark, sunburned, tall fellow, very handsome, with beautiful teeth and brilliant eyes black as coal, who introduced himself as Melchior, and his two companions, one a little fat boy who tumbled for the villagers' sport and the other a lanky lad who played the fool, and very successfully, since he was one by nature.

Melchior soon learned from Japhet and Timothy who and what they were. "You are just the people I want," said he, "and if you join me you shall not suffer."

When they assented, he told them that he was married to a gypsy woman and that through her he had great power in the tribe, though he did not often join in their wanderings, but engaged in undertakings of his own.

Nattee, his wife, made them welcome to the tribe. She was of the highest type of true-blooded gypsy beauty, her face clear olive and perfectly oval, her eyes jetty black, her nose straight and beautifully formed and her mouth small and proud. She was plainly of immense influence in the tribe, and as soon as she approved of the newcomers they were accepted without objection by the rest.

With Melchior and Nattee there lived a little girl of about 11, who was strikingly different from them. She was a little fairy figure, with a wonderfully pure skin, light auburn hair and large blue eyes. The tribe addressed her as Fleta.

Japhet at once suspected that Fleta had been stolen, though Melchior told him that she had been left behind by a soldier whom the tribe had found dying by the roadside. When Japhet questioned Fleta, who soon became his great admirer, she said that she could remember that in her childhood she had lived in a great place full of trees and with beautiful gardens.

Japhet, filled with his longing for a father, felt drawn all the more toward the little girl and at once invested her, too, with romance, until he became as firmly convinced that she came of a great family as he was of his own descent.

Japhet's adventures in search of a father now began in reality. He became a juggler with Melchior, while Timothy learned tumbling and took turns with the fool as fun-maker for the rustic crowds. It was a queer way to look for a long-lost parent, but the monomania that possessed Japhet made him argue with himself that only by wandering from town to town could he hope to meet success, and he gazed earnestly at all the faces that came before his eyes.

Fortune telling and quack medicine succeeded juggling. Melchior was fertile in ideas, the country side was hungry for wonders, and the beauty and genius of Nattee helped them whenever they engaged in bigger operations than their ordinary ones. The excitement and constant change made time pass fast, and a year went by almost before they realized it.

Then one day a mysterious messenger came to Melchior, bringing news which evidently excited both Nattee and him exceedingly. That evening Melchior told Japhet that he and his wife were forced to leave the tribe. He made a fair division of the spoils of the last campaign. Japhet told Melchior that he wanted to take Fleta away from the tribe and put her into a school. Melchior looked startled. Then, after considering for a long while, he agreed, making the condition, however, that news of her be sent to an address which he gave to Japhet, and assuring him further that he would furnish funds at any time if they were needed.

When they were ready to go Nattee came to Japhet secretly and gave him a long chain of coral and gold beads for Fleta. "Do not let Melchior see it," said she, "and take good care of the little girl, for I would not wish her to come to harm."

Japhet took her to a private school near London, and, this care taken from his mind, all his ideas tended toward London. "What a fool I was," said he to Timothy. "I expect to find my father in the very highest ranks of society, and the paths we took led us into the very lowest! We must go to London and appear as gentlemen."

"Very good," said Timothy. "But we have only upward of three hundred pounds, which, to be sure, is a great deal of money, but still won't last long if we are both set up as gentlemen. Now, listen to me, Japhet. You were christened after the Honorable Abraham Newlands and I was named after the workhouse pump. You were a gentleman foundling, presenting yourself with a fifty-pound note and good clothes. I made my appearance in rags. Now, it will be much cheaper and much wiser for you to set up as the gentleman while I set up as the valet."

Japhet cried out against the plan, but Timothy was stubborn for once in their relations and carried his point triumphantly, so that a few days afterward a most elegant gentleman of fashion accompanied by a respectful servant in irreproachable livery alighted at the Piazza Hotel in Covent Garden, London, and ordered the best apartments in the place to be prepared for him.

Japhet had hardly been in the hotel an hour before a note was delivered to him. He opened it to find that it was from the famous Lord Windermear and that it was intended for some one else. But he found in the envelope a letter to a Mr. Masterton, instructing him to deliver a sealed packet to the bearer, and the note itself referred to a secret.

So set was his mind on his search for a father that he succumbed to the temptation to learn a secret that might give him power over a great family and so help him to enter fashionable society.

He found that Mr. Masterton was a lawyer who was generally credited with possessing the secrets of many great families. The lawyer received the letter without question, and from his words Japhet perceived that he was supposed to be a nephew of Lord Windermear, who had been abroad since infancy.

He turned over the papers and Japhet took them to his hotel to read. They disclosed a secret involving the honor and reputation of a most distinguished family. The question was whether the man whom Japhet had personated would relinquish certain claims so that there would be no need to drag the scandal from oblivion.

Soon after he had made himself master of the secret Lord Windermear called on him. He was not surprised to find his supposed nephew bearing the name of Japhet Newlands, for Mr. Masterton had advised that when the young man arrived from abroad he should bear a fictitious name till everything was settled.

"What a handsome fellow you have become!" cried Lord Windermear. "I shall be proud of my nephew."

Then, lowering his voice, he asked anxiously: "Have you read the papers? What is your opinion?"

When Japhet answered that he agreed that everything should be kept secret, the old nobleman shook his hand again and cried that he was proud to see him possessed of such good feeling.

"I will establish a credit for you at my bankers' for a thousand pounds in your name of Newlands," said he, "and I will give you a letter to my friend and kinsman, Major Carbonnell, asking him to make London agreeable to you. I shall tell him that you are my particular friend."

When Lord Windermear had gone Japhet said to Timothy: "Of course, we cannot touch the thousand pounds. That would be swindling. Besides, in a few days at the most the real nephew will be sure to turn up, and we will be found out. But Lord Windermear will not dare then to withdraw his protection from me, for I know his secret. I shall remain in society and shall find my father."

Major Carbonnell had long since squandered all his money. He owned nothing except some jewelry and the house in which he lived. But he had a distant hope of a peerage and he was the undoubted arbiter of fashion. He made it a point to tell everybody that he would not pay his bills or his gambling debts. His frankness mollified his victims; and his very considerable skill at whist permitted him to keep himself in ready cash, for he took great care for his part not to play with those who would not or could not pay their gaming debts.

Major Carbonnell's introduction was sufficient to open the doors of the best society to Japhet. Within three weeks he was as gallant a buck as any of them, and the foundling who had begun life as an apothecary and continued it as a juggler was soon bending over the hands of duchesses in London drawing rooms and, it must be confessed, playing his part as a gentleman of fortune fully as well as he had played his part on village stages before rustic gapers.

Lord Windermear discovered the imposture soon, as Japhet had expected. He relented, however, when Japhet told him his story, assured him that he did not dream of making any use of the secret, and showed him that he had not touched the thousand pounds. As the recital proceeded Windermear perceived that the young man was the victim of a fixed idea. He begged him to dismiss it from his mind and offered to help him.

He insisted also that Japhet use the thousand pounds at the bankers'. Japhet refused, but Lord Windermear was determined. Timothy was delighted, for the few hundred pounds of their joint capital had dwindled sadly under the attacks of Major Carbonnell.

Japhet did not tell the Major that he was rich, nor did he deceive him otherwise by any direct statement. He simply permitted the gentleman to believe what he would. Carbonnell jumped at conclusions, believed them implicitly after he had jumped, and spread the glad news of a new person of fortune among the fortune-hunting ladies and gentlemen of society.

Carbonnell had long lost his principles, but had managed to keep his character above water. He did not hesitate to pluck Japhet at first. But before long he liked him too much to rob him—which fact presupposes a really extraordinary degree of fondness. After that, instead of rooking him, he made Japhet an inactive though not quite innocent accomplice in many of his genteel operations, by which means they kept themselves very comfortably in funds.

The Major soon discovered that Japhet had a mania, though he could not guess what it was. A hundred times Japhet was on the point of exposing himself, for whenever he heard of a scandal in any family or saw man or woman who resembled him in the most distant way he forgot the part he was playing and everything else and asked questions that aroused surprise and sometimes consternation.

He raced so furiously after a carriage that contained a gentleman whose nose was like his own that he knocked people down right and left and was finally taken up as a pickpocket and only released when Carbonnell went to court with some friends to swear to his identity.

He confronted the great Bishop of B— and introduced himself as his long-lost son, again on the evidence of a similarity of noses.

His worst scrape was with Lady Maelstrom. Hearing a vague report of an early entanglement, he asked her about it without any circumlocution, with the result that her ladyship became so violently hysterical as to frighten him.

He seized a flower vase, pulled out the flowers and threw the water into Lady Maelstrom's face to revive her. Unfortunately the flowers had been in it for some time and the water was a high green. It did not revive her ladyship, but it certainly vivified her.

Flustered by his accident, he snatched a small bottle which he thought contained eau de cologne and poured a little into her mouth. The remedy would, no doubt, have been highly successful had it been eau de cologne; but it was not. It was marking ink.

Had society not been so firmly convinced that Mr. Japhet Newlands was a person of immense fortune his exploits would have ended his fashionable career summarily, but as it was, his eccentricities only made him more interesting.

He was as lucky in money as he was in society. The cards fell his way, and the Major actually refrained from borrowing money from him and even found ways to save him expense.

One night Carbonnell won £3,500 at the gaming table. The next day he fought a duel, in which Japhet acted as second. He was unfortunate, and fell, fatally wounded.

When his will was opened, it was found that the cold-blooded man of the world had left everything he owned to Japhet. With the winnings from play and the house Japhet found himself worth almost £8,000.

"What a lucky dog you are," said Mr. Masterton, who had forgiven him long before for his deception. "Here you are a protege of Lord Windermear, who should hate you, and instead has taken a vast fancy to you. Here am I who ought to kick you out of doors, sir, inviting you to dinner and, what is more, liking to do it. And now you are in possession of a modest competency. Japhet, you would better give up this wild quest of yours for a father and let Windermear and myself put you into the army or some profession. But you ought to start fair. At present you are sailing under false colors."

Japhet agreed and proved it by telling the truth to his particular friend Harcourt, with the explanation that he wanted everybody to know it. Then he set his teeth to meet the action of fashionable society.

Before the news had time to spread Timothy informed him that their house had been watched for some time by a gypsy. They both concluded that the tribe wanted to steal Fleta again, and Timothy suggested that he disguise himself and, depending on the knowledge of gypsy manners and speech that he had attained in Melchior's band, gain the confidence of the spy and learn his business.

Accordingly he slipped out one night, disguised so perfectly that even Japhet did not recognize him. Within a few days he sent a message to say that their suspicions were correct. Then nothing came from him for a while.

While Japhet was waiting for Timothy's return he found another clue to his father, as he thought. Without waiting for reflection, he packed a few clothes and hurried to Ireland, whither the trail led.

As usual he discovered nothing; but his wild-goose chase turned into a great adventure after all. In a stage coach in Ireland he saw opposite to him a sleeping passenger who held a packet of papers in his hand. On this packet was written the name of the London agent whose address Melchior had given to him. While Japhet was staring at it, the man dropped the packet and Japhet saw that it was addressed to Sir Henry de Clafe, Mount Castle, Connemara.

Japhet, filled with his mania for discovering parents, promptly interrogated the stranger, who answered surlily, evidently suspecting him. He did, however, manage to learn that Sir Henry had succeeded his brother, Sir William, some time ago. Sir William had left a wife but no children, their only child, a daughter, having been drowned in a mountain torrent years before.

Japhet noticed that his informant, who proved to be Sir Henry's agent, stepped out at the next stage to look at the waybill, evidently to learn his name. The man's secretiveness confirmed Japhet in his consuming passion. He determined to go to Mount Castle, though he couldn't explain to himself what on earth he could expect to find out.

At the point where stages were to be changed for Connemara the agent hired a chaise and departed some hours ahead of Japhet, who had to content himself with a poor vehicle at last.

As he went on, the journey presented more and more difficulties. Unaccountable delays held him back at every posting place. The conveyances became poorer and poorer. Several times there were none ready at all, so that he had to lie over. At last, when he came within a few hours' ride of Mount Castle, he could hire neither horse, vehicle or guide. Undaunted by the gruff behavior of the people and the evident dislike that they showed him, he determined to walk to the castle.

At a brook which crossed the road just before the entrance to the castle, he stopped for a moment, bewildered by the darkness of the night. There came the sound of quick footsteps behind him, and as he turned, a savage blow on his head knocked him senseless.

When he recovered he found himself locked in some underground place, apparently a cellar. His head ached desperately from the blow. He had just assured himself that no serious harm had been done when the door was unlocked and a man entered. It took Japhet some time to accustom his eyes to the dim light; then he recognized his visitor. It was Melchior.

Ignoring Japhet's angry words, Melchior said: "Japhet, Sir Henry wants Fleta to be delivered to him. Give us her address and write an order to the school where she is, so we can send for her, and you shall be released."

"I absolutely refuse," said Japhet. "You want to harm her. What is your connection with Sir Henry?"

"That I cannot tell you," said Melchior. "I am in his power and he is a desperate man, who exercises autocratic rule in this part of the county. You are lost if you do not accede. I shall leave you to think it over."

For three days Japhet was left in his dark cell, being visited every day by Melchior and refusing anew each day to tell where Fleta was. On the fourth day Japhet, infuriated, said to Melchior: "You are Sir Henry de Clare! And I am convinced that you wish to put Fleta out of the way because she has some claim on the estate left by your brother!"

Melchior's face became that of a demon. He opened his lips to reply, but turned away without a word and left the cell. For two days Japhet lay in the dark without food or drink. At last he heard footsteps. The door was opened and closed. Two men stood in the chamber, each armed with a great sledge hammer.

"It's all over with me!" cried Japhet, "and I shall never find out who is my father. Come on, murderers, and do your work quickly!"

The two men advanced without speaking a word. The foremost set down his lantern and swiftly swung his hammer with both hands. At that instant the man behind him raised his weapon and struck the foremost man dead with a single blow.

"Silence," whispered a voice that Japhet well knew. It was the voice of Timothy. "Horses are near by, for we stipulated to leave the country the moment it was done. Hurry."

Japhet lost no time. Little was said while they tore through the night, till they had reached a post town and had entered the inn. Then Timothy explained his providential arrival on the scene.

He had gained the gypsy's entire confidence and had led him on a false trail to a boarding school where he had pretended that Fleta was installed. They prepared to enter the house and kidnap her. This naturally required some time. About the time their arrangements were completed a message arrived from Melchior bidding him postpone his attempt for the present and hasten to Mount Castle, where important work was to be done.

Timothy went with him and luckily managed to deceive Melchior, who offered them £200 for putting somebody out of the way. Timothy had learned that Japhet was in Ireland. He immediately suspected who the intended victim was and entered eagerly into the proposed murder. The rest was simple.

Japhet now felt sure that Melchior was, indeed, no other than Sir Henry de Clare, and that Fleta was an heiress to the estates. The latter idea became a conviction with him when he reached Dublin and discovered from Sir William's will filed there that only a small portion of the estate was entailed, while the rest went not only to male heirs but also to females.

He dispatched a letter to Sir Henry telling him that he would prosecute him for attempting his murder. Two days afterward the papers announced that Sir Henry de Clare had committed suicide. Following this came a letter from Lady de Clare to Japhet. It said:

"Fleta is the daughter of Sir William de Clare. The girl found drowned was merely dressed in her clothes. Dearly has my husband paid for his act of folly and wickedness, to which I was never a party."

The letter was signed "Nattee" and Japhet learned that she had left the castle after the funeral and had been seen lately traveling south with a band of gypsies.

Lord Windermear and Mr. Masterton sought out Sir William's widow, who was living in London, and Japhet restored her daughter to her. She recognized the gold and coral necklace at once as being the one that little Cecilia had worn when she disappeared. There had been wonder at the time when the unrecognizable body was found because the necklace was not on it.

Japhet, having thus made his beloved little Fleta happy, and found a mother for her, thought to return to fashionable society and pursue his own search for a father. But the news of his true position and, worse than all, of his lack of wealth, had spread while he was in Ireland. He was cut in the street and in the clubs, those who had borrowed from him failed to see him, and those who had fawned on him sneered at him.

For a time he tried to brave it out. Then he became discouraged and resolved to gain wealth by one desperate effort. He sought the gambling hells. In three nights he had lost all he owned, even the house that had been bequeathed to him.

Poor Japhet now saw himself just where he had started—penniless and an outcast. Too proud to appeal to the only friends he had left, Lord Windermear, or Mr. Masterton, he resolved to turn his back on society. Leaving a note for Timothy, in which he begged him to forgive him for running away and asked him to sell what was left and keep the money, he departed from London on foot, exchanged his fine clothes at the first village for a smock frock and corduroy trousers, and with nothing but twenty pounds in his pocket, set forth on his second pilgrimage, with no very clear idea in his mind except that he despised the world.

His scorn was increased as he wandered, for he was robbed right and left, till even the bundle in which he carried his scanty spare clothing was stolen. Bitterly he reflected that so long as he remained an impostor he had been treated by the world to its best, admired, flattered and beloved; while now that he was honest, he was met with contempt, cruelty and treachery wherever he turned.

The cup of his sorrows was not full. As he wandered aimlessly along a country road after his bundle had been stolen he was seized by constables and charged with having attempted a highway robbery.

Circumstantial evidence was strong against him. The case was aggravated by his determination not to give his name. After a short trial he was sentenced summarily to death.

A few days afterward the real criminals were taken and confessed. Japhet was discharged. None noticed that he paid no attention to what was said to him. They ascribed his white face and his wild glance to the ordeal he had undergone; but in reality he had lost his mind.

How long he wandered or where he went he never knew. In after days he could remember only that he ran at times and seized people by the arms, crying: "Are you my father?" and that at other times he tottered along, sobbing like a child. At last all consciousness left him.

When he came back to life he was in bed, his head shaved and his arm bound up after repeated bleedings. Beside him sat a young girl in a Quaker's dress.

He felt as if he could have gazed at her forever. Her clear and transparent complexion was the most beautiful he had ever seen. Her glorious eyes were arched by eyebrows regular as if drawn with compasses. Her nose was very straight, but not large. Her mouth was perfection. Under her prim, chaste Quaker's cap wonderful auburn hair showed curls that could not be restrained.

She told Japhet that he had been found on the road and taken in by a Quaker gentleman, who, she said, recognized him as one he knew. Japhet cried out in astonishment when he learned that his rescuer was Mr. Cophagus.

Thus had his search for a father brought him back as in a preordained circle.

Mr. Cophagus soon bustled in, little changed except for his Quaker garb, and explained that he had married a Quaker lady, the sister of Japhet's beautiful nurse. Under their care he recovered fast. As soon as he was quite restored Mr. Cophagus proposed to him that he stay in Reading (which was the town in which he found himself) and open an apothecary's shop with money which he would loan him.

Japhet assented, and presently the young buck of the London drawing rooms, frequenter of gambling hells and lounger in clubs, stood behind a counter in Quaker garb dispensing drugs and feeling happier than he had ever felt before.

It was some time before Japhet realized that his happiness was due not to his prosperity in the business of apothecary, but to the daily sight of Susannah Temple.

He tried his best to rid himself of his longing for a return to his fashionable life, and he refrained steadfastly from writing to any one in London; but the faithful Timothy found him for all that. He traced him after long wanderings of his own, and the two friends were reunited to the joy of both.

Japhet had almost resigned himself to discard all thought of searching for his father again, when one morning an advertisement caught his eye. It called on Japhet Newlands to communicate with Mr. Masterton to "learn that of which he has been long in search."

Japhet almost forgot Susannah. In a whirl of excitement he told her what had happened, in a whirl of excitement he hastened from the house and in wilder excitement than ever he arrived in London, where he lost no time in buying fashionable clothes, and then presented himself before Mr. Masterton.

"Japhet," said Mr. Masterton, after he had welcomed the young man with most unlawyer-like delight, "there is no doubt that ye have found your father, or rather, that he has found you. But he is a most terrible old tiger. I hope you have the bump of filial veneration strong, Japhet, and plenty of filial duty, or you will be kicked out of the house in a week. He is nothing but what I call him, an old Bengal tiger."

And so Japhet found him. He heard an angry growl like that of a wild beast when they approached the apartments where his father was waiting for him. When the door opened, Japhet saw two East Indian servants standing humbly with their arms crossed behind a sofa, on which lay a man of great size, with a brownish-yellow complexion and silvery white hair, while equally white whiskers surrounded great features in a way that certainly formed a striking resemblance to a tiger.

Imperiously he dismissed the lawyer and as soon as he was alone with his son, except for the servants, he growled:

"So you are my son. There appears to be no doubt about it. The proofs are convincing. But if you think, young man, to win my favor by your good looks, you are mistaken. You look too much like your mother, whose memory is anything agreeable."

Japhet's anger rose. In that moment he regretted most sincerely that he had ever found a father, even though that father was the great General De Benyon, brother to an earl, with a fortune made in the East Indies.

Mr. Masterton's disclosures had not aroused much filial love in his breast. His father, while a lieutenant, had married a young woman who had led him to believe that she was an heiress, while he had led her to believe that he was rich, instead of being only a younger brother with a beggarly allowance. When the two discovered the mutual swindle they separated at once and by common consent left the child at the Foundling Hospital in order to hide their marriage. The wife had calmly married again, committing bigamy with her first husband's knowledge. After her death General De Benyon, moved slightly by a sense of shame, but mostly from a desire to have an heir for his property, decided on a belated hunt for his son.

He applied to Mr. Masterton, that gentleman being the lawyer for all of his class, and this of course made the search very simple.

Disgusted with the story, Japhet was in no mood to bear his newly found parent's ill humor. He replied with such spirit that the General hawled to his servants to throw him out of the hotel. That he did not do it himself was not due to unwillingness, but the General had hurt his ankle while riding and was bandaged into temporary helplessness.

The servants advanced dutifully to do his bidding, whereupon Japhet knocked them both down and began to belabor them so lustily with the first heavy implement he could snatch that they fled yelling.

They left their master to roar and curse in unavailing rage, for Japhet had promptly locked the door after them. He waited patiently while his honored father stormed himself out. Suddenly the old Bengal tiger ceased swearing at Japhet and transferred his compliments to the bandages, which had become tightened during his violent efforts to rise, and now caused him intense anguish.

Japhet proceeded to loosen the trappings and with his professional skill soon relieved his pain. Then he bowed respectfully and said:

"Now, sir, I will take my leave. Had you received me kindly you would have found a son who would have met that kindness with a fond and affectionate heart, for he has yearned for his father through his whole life. Now I will go, and neither poverty, privation or any affliction will induce me to intrude into your presence again."

He turned to go. The Bengal tiger glared at him, started to swear again, weakened, and held out his hands.

"Stop—don't go—Japhet—my son—forgive me—forgive your father."

The Bengal tiger was conquered. Japhet knelt down and kissed his hand. The General drew him close and the Foundling wept on his father's breast at last.

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Old Bengal tigers are not conquered in a moment. There were many battles between the royal old beast and his young tamer. But gradually the General became tractable. First he learned to be proud of his boy, and, such is the contrariness of man, prouder for his adventures as a make-believe gentleman than he was of him for his honest career in Quaker garb as an apothecary.

From pride his feelings gradually changed to affection, and though it required great diplomacy to make him agree to Japhet's marriage with a Quaker he consented even to that. The Bengal tiger was thoroughly tame at last.

The quiet, prim little Quaker girl had not viewed Japhet's return to the fashionable world with satisfaction. Her fine eyes looked disapproval on him. When he departed in response to the advertisement, she had said:

"Japhet Newlands, I will rejoice at everything that may tend to thy happiness, believe me; but I do not feel assured but that this trial may prove too great and that thou mayst fall away from the right path, which thou hast so lately entered. Indeed, I perceive that even now thou art excited with new ideas and visions of pride."

Japhet thought of this remark of the little grey dove and smiled one night when Mrs. Susannah came down the grand staircase of the grand house in which they lived with the General, and asked:

"Is not this a pretty dress?"

"Yes, my dear," replied her husband, "but, Susan, do you not think that it is cut a little too low?"

"Too low? Why, De Benyon, it's not half as low as your great friends, Lady de Clare and her daughter, wear their dresses. Indeed, I think I should know, for if I have no other merit, I have at least the merit of being the best dressed woman in London."

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Meston is home from California.

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Mrs. Spofford is home from a short holiday at Shawnigan.

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Miss E. M. Taylor has returned from a visit across the Sound.

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Miss Jean Patterson, Victoria, is visiting friends in Tacoma.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wellwood returned yesterday from a visit to Seattle.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Walker have returned from a visit in the East.

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Mrs. John Hastings is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. Jeeves, Seattle.

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Mrs. Arthur Gaspard is the guest of her sister, Mrs. William Hartner.

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F. C. G. Wood and Mrs. Wood spent a few days this week in Vancouver.

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Rev. and Mrs. W. Bailey, Toronto, are spending a few days in this city.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Colquhoun, Winnipeg, are on a visit to friends in this city.

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Mrs. M. King returned yesterday afternoon from a visit to friends in Seattle.

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The Misses Ruth have returned to Portland after a pleasant visit to Victoria.

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J. Tolmie, who has been on vacation trip to Mt. Ranier, returned home yesterday.

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Rt. Rev. Bishop Perrin returned yesterday from a short visit in Vancouver.

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Dr. Rodgers was among the arrivals on the Princess Charlotte from Seattle yesterday.

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J. B. Simpson, Vancouver, arrived here yesterday and will remain till next week.

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Mrs. F. J. Curry and Miss Curry have left on an extended tour of eastern Canada.

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Percy Duncans has left on a trip to New York, via the Chicago Milwaukee Railway.

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John B. Wheeler has left on a visit to New York, via the Chicago Milwaukee Railway.

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Mrs. Fitzgerald, Stonehenge Park, Esquimalt road, has returned from a visit in Seattle.

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Miss Williams, principal of the Girls' Central School, has returned from a visit to England.

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Mrs. Minnie Butler and daughter, Seattle, are visiting Mrs. M. A. Wylde at Shawnigan Lake.

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Miss Wakeman, who has been spending several weeks in this city, returned to Vancouver on Thursday last.

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Miss Mahill, Seattle, who has been the guest of Miss Olive Bunting, Hulton St., leaves for her home on Sunday.

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Miss Maisie Anderson, who has been on a holiday vacation to Vancouver, Powell River and Lund, returned to Victoria on Wednesday evening.

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The many friends of Mrs. Lawrence MacRae, who has been ill in St. Joseph's Hospital, will be glad to hear that she is well on the way to recovery.

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Wynne Meredith, consulting engineer in the Sooke Lake scheme, returned to this city yesterday from a visit in the south and went out to Sooke Lake.

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Miss Stannard has returned from a vacation trip to Seattle and Vancouver. She was accompanied my her father to Vancouver, where they were guests of her sister, Mrs. Yarwood.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bonallie, whose wedding took place in St. Paul's church, Vancouver, spent a day here on their honeymoon. Mrs. Bonallie was Miss Pauline Brenton, one of the most popular girls in Vancouver society.

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James Ford Rhodes reviews in historical perspective and with clear judgment the Republican National Conventions of 1880 and 1884 which nominated respectively Garfield and Blaine.

Ralph D. Paine contributes a description of the picturesque and amusing features of "The Water-Side of Antwerp." He will in later numbers describe Hamburg and the Port of London.

Frederick McCormick, who has been a newspaper representative in Pekin for a number of years, writes an illuminating review of "America and the China Loan."

Kenyon Cox, the eminent artist and critic, contributes another analysis of modern art, with special reference to its weakness in "Design."

Mrs. Wharton's vivid serial of New England life reaches in this number a tragic situation told with directness and simplicity.

F. Hopkinson Smith's serial, "Kennedy Square," which has been one of the successes of the year, is concluded in this number.

The short stories are: "The Trick-Doctor," by Thomas Nelson Page.

"The Rubber Stamp," by Georgia Wood Pangborn.

"Under the 'Penobscot's' Bow," by John H. Walsh—a story of the workers in the navy yard on Puget Sound.

Montgomery Schuyler discusses in the Field of Art "Stray Statues" which are wrongly placed, so that their full meaning and association are forgotten.

ROBIN RED-BREAST.

"Tarry, Robin, ere you bob in,
Bob into your noisy nest,
Just to tell me, what befel thee,
W..y the red's upon thy breast."

Said the Robin, "Ere I bob in,
Bob into my noisy nest,
I will tell thee what befel me,
Why the red's upon my breast.

"While a-playing, one day, swaying
Swaying on the sunbrown'd wheat,
Saw I sobbing, sighing, bobbing,
A red poppy 'neath my feet.

"'I'm in sorrow for to-morrow,'
Said the crimson poppy shy,
'They are reaping, and I'm weeping,
For I soon must fall and die.

"'Take me, Robin, glad to bob in,
Out and in the ripened grain.
Lift me, lift me, bear me swiftly,
Plant me in yon leafy lane.'

"So I lifted her and drifted
On the breezes soft and light;
Her cheeks brushing, crimson flushing,
On my bosom in the flight.

"And those blushes left their flushes
Stamped forever on my breast,"
Said the Robin, glad to bob in,
Bob into his noisy nest.

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August, 1911.

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By Ruth Cameron

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She had a widowed mother and younger sister to support, and has worked very hard as a stenographer for eight years. And to-day, as she faces death, she says, "At least I am not to blame for the condition I am in. I had to do it. And I've done all I could. No one could have possibly done any more."

Much as I honor the girl, deeply as I grieve for her, I differ from her about that.

She could have done more.

Others have done more.

Now, please, before you get indignant at my hard-heartedness, listen to what I have to tell you about another girl.

This second girl has been helping to support a large family of younger brothers and sisters ever since her father lost his position several years ago. She, also, is a stenographer, and according to pretty reliable accounts, works as hard as the first girl, if not harder.

And she is not broken down, nor anywhere near it.

Why?

Well, the first girl thought she gave everything to her people.

The second girl gave everything.

The first girl gave all her strength.

The second girl gave all her strength, and in addition gave the care and self-restraint that kept the source of that strength still good.

The first girl used to come home from her work tired out and eat her dinner without resting. Sometimes after dinner she would sit down and embroider or read until late at night. Other times she would go to a dance or the theatre. She almost never took any healthy exercise, and seldom got enough sleep. In the morning she would get up with barely time to get to work, bolt her breakfast and run for the train. She often went without lunches to save money for some luxury.

The second girl usually walked to and from work for the sake of the exercise. When she reached home she would rest for a few minutes before eating. After dinner she usually went for a walk. She tried to be in bed every night except Saturday at half-past ten. If she went to a dance or to the theatre, it always had to be Saturday night. In the morning she got up at half-past six, which gave her time for a set of exercises, a cold sponge and a good breakfast. Sundays, she often went out into the country, and almost always, winter and summer, spent a good part of the day out of doors.

Of course, I honor the first girl, but I honor the second even more.

There are men and women everywhere who think they are showing the highest possible devetion to their families if they work themselves to death for them.

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Thomas A. Edison Describes His Visions of Future of Science

Passengers and crew alike of the Mauretania are full of talk about their distinguished shipmate, Thomas Alva Edison—"The Wizard of the West"—as his own countrymen have long called the man of marvellous work, crowned with so many seemingly miraculous successes. Mr. Edison has altered very little in appearance since he was last here some years ago. He still might be mistaken for a burly, good-natured priest; the suggestion being enhanced by the white tie he wears, showing just above the high waistcoat of his carelessly hanging, well-worn, dark lounge suit. On board ship an old cap was well at the back of his head, and he greeted everybody with his familiar broad smile and look of interrogation. Edison's eyes are always asking questions. But he did not talk much to his fellow passengers. He wandered all over the ship and watched everything. The wireless telegraphy room often attracted him. Here was something which he did not invent. Marconi got there in front, and Edison was the first to offer him laurels.

"When he was induced to talk at any length to the little group that gathered round him he soon enthralled his audience," relates a Mauretania passenger. "His language is so simple; he chooses his words so carefully to enable you to understand his reasonings, and yet without any indication that he presumes you are ignorant. Occasionally he emphasizes his words with his hands, stained and colored by the constant use of chemicals, and now and again he laughs with the heartiness and abandon of a schoolboy."

Too Much Sleep in This World.

Mr. Edison was asked if he had any special object in coming to England. "Why, no," he replied, "just the wanderlust, as my German friends call it, I go over every few years or so to see how things are getting along, and whether there is anything for me to pick up. Besides, it is best to get away from one's usual surroundings sometimes, and even I require rest, although I don't sleep much. Such a lot of time is wasted in sleep. There is much too sleep in the world nowadays. Eight hours is ridiculous. Nobody wants it, nobody should take it except when utterly exhausted with many hours of work. Sometimes I wrestle with a knotty problem for a day or two. During all that time I am awake; then I solve it, or drop it, and I sleep. I can slumber a day and a night straight off. I sleep until I wake up again. That'll last me for a month or two.

"Sleep was invented in the Curfew days when there was only villainous artificial light, and men got into the habit of sleeping. The world loses two-thirds of its life in sleep. People tell me I have accomplished things; if I have, it is because I have always kept awake as long as possible thinking about things," and, while speaking, Mr. Edison lit another of the long black cigars of which he smokes between a dozen and twenty daily. He never takes any alcoholic stimulants, not even the lightest of wines. His drink when he requires anything liquid, which is seldom, is mineral water, a little fruit juice in ordinary water, or coffee.

Some of us on board questioned Mr. Edison about his recent statements with regard to the possibility of manufacturing gold. "Only a matter of time," he replied. "The discovery of a proper combination and treatment of metal is bound to come soon; it may arrive tomorrow," and the wizard looked mysterious, and then laughed heartily. "It makes some of you gold-bugs shake a little, doesn't it? But scientists all over the world are working at metal combinations, and the crucible will betray things sooner or later—and then what about those clauses in contracts to pay in gold coin of standard weight and fineness? Supposing the railroads suddenly became able to pay their bonds in gold which they knew how to manufacture at a cost of only five pounds a ton. Mark my words, it will come."

For flying machines Mr. Edison predicts the greatest future, but he seems to think that there will be many improvements upon the present construction and motive power. The subject was discussed in the smoking room the night prior to the Mauretania's arrival at Fishguard. He believes that the secret will be wrested from the motions of certain flying insects rather than of birds, and that in a year or two air-transports with passengers, speeding one hundred miles an hour, will be the general means of travel. "The earth, however, will not cease to be busy in consequence," he added. "There will be lots of things running up and down all the time; but the days of steam power are about at a finish; electricity will be the motive power everywhere. As for agricultural implements, there indeed, there is going to be revolution! I married the daughter of a man who made a great fortune out of the manufacture and invention of all manner of farming machinery. He never would have made it had he lived in these days.

"The coming farmer will push a button and work levers. Storage batteries will drive ploughs, while the future agricultural laborer will be a man who has acquired a working knowledge of chemistry and botany. The very utmost will be got out of the earth and of the seed within the earth; but all the manual labor—the donkey-work with the sweat of the brow—will be performed by machinery controlled by electricity.

"We are only at the beginning of science," said Mr. Edison, throwing away half a cigar and lighting a fresh one. "Nature's doors are just opening after mighty pushing on our part. This century will see as many hair-raising wonders as the past has seen. When good Queen Victoria was a girl, where was steam, where was electricity? They both appear to a matter of course to us now. Perhaps some Wizard, as they call me, foreshadowed it all to them in those days. There have always been men who think; but even thinking must go slow, if it wishes to be sure, and convince by patiently overcoming ridicule and the hundred-and-one obstacles which always confront progress."

A friend of Mr. Edison now in London gave a Standard representative some interesting details of the famous inventor's work and home life. Mr. Edison's principal workshop is in Orange, New Jersey, where he has a laboratory and factory of great size, and fitted with every conceivable kind of machinery for his various inventions. Here he passes the greater portion of his life, his private residence, "Glenmont," being in the midst of a beautiful park not a quarter of a mile away. Occasionally days pass without Mr. Edison returning to his home. He is working at one of his special problems, and only takes snatches of sleep and food when Nature forces him to do so. His sleeping couch is a wooden bench, which is placed just where a workman at a certain hour must come for a lathe or a lever. Mr. Edison knows the time that particular workman will arrive, and measures his repose accordingly, sure of being awakened. Baskets of cold food and plenty of hot coffee are sent from the house, and Mr. Edison munches at odd times with his three or four chosen assistants, all sharing alike. His workmen simply worship him. The strong cigars are freely distributed, "but," says Mr. Edison, "I only smoke a cigar half through; then I have finished with it. The rest of the cigar has lost its flavor. I never re-light a cigar; if it goes out it is also finished, and I take a fresh one. 'My bad habit,' you will say. Well, perhaps, and there may be others."

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A romantic story of gold in the Arctic wastes has just been given to the world from an old Essex Manor House surrounded by an old fashioned garden—a story so romantic as to make those who heard it think Stevenson's Treasure Island but a sorry patch.

It was a tale of a newly discovered goldfield in the far desolation of the Arctic circle and of a great coal field from which Europe and America may one day draw fuel after their own is exhausted.

It was a tale of dead men's bones—a tale of living men, who lead a lonely life in the frozen north where no other human being sets foot, where only the Polar bears roam in the utter solitude.

The three principal characters in this new Treasure Island story of real life are a clergyman, a doctor and a man of letters.

One is the Rev. Mr. Gardner, rector of Goldhanger, a sleepy little village across the Essex marshes, whose greatest excitements have been a wedding, a birth, and a death. The second is Dr. Salter, of Tolleshunt D'Arcy, three miles from the rectory of Goldhanger. The third is Mr. Ernest Mansfield, a musician, a man of letters, a great traveller, and a mining engineer, who is the neighbor and friend of the rector and the doctor. Stevenson or Quiller-Couch might have chosen just such men as these to be the characters in a story of gold and dead men's bones in a far-off island.

It was from Dr. Salter, of Tolleshunt d'Arcy, and in his beautiful garden, that this strange, romantic tale, was given forth. A tall, sturdily-built man of middle-age, with a high forehead and smiling grey eyes, and a white moustache, he looked more like the typical Indian colonel on half pay than a country doctor, a man of action rather than a man of science. A great traveller and a good shot, he has brought back many trophies of sport from Siberia and Northern Russia, and these now stand in his rooms as a proof of his steady nerve and pluck. Such was the man who leaned back in his garden chair and told the plot of the adventure which until now has been kept a dead secret by the clergyman, the doctor and their friends in rural Essex.

After their day's work it was the habit of these three cronies to meet in one or other of their houses and talk of their experiences in the world of fact and ideas, over a glass of wine. Both Mr. Mansfield and Dr. Salter are men who have hunted and explored in wild places, and the conversation of Mr. Mansfield was especially interesting, because, as a mining engineer and one of the early pioneers of Klondyke, he has searched for gold in many parts. Always his conversation came back to Gold, Gold, Gold, and the possibility of new discoveries. He held firmly to the theory that there were great gold deposits in the Arctic regions at present untouched by men.

The Rev. Mr. Gardner, acting upon the expert opinion of the doctor, became secretly fired by his words, and one day he said, "I am going to Spitzbergen. Perhaps while I am there I may put your theory to the test."

It was the clergyman who was the cause of the discovery which led these three friends in Essex to share an amazing secret. It seems strange enough that the rector of a rural parish should travel into the Arctic regions for a summer holiday, but stranger things than that were to follow.

The Rev. Mr. Gardner, acting upon the expert advice of his engineering friend, brought back from his voyage pieces of quartz and rock, and specimens of sand, and mud, and shingle, from the Arctic coast. To him they were meaningless. He smiled as he thought of his strange baggage. But one night there was a thrilling sense of mystery and excitement when the three friends gathered round these little heaps of rubbish in the sitting-room of the rectory.

Mr. Mansfield pored over these pebbles and bits of rock, held them up to the light, and examined them closely.

"Well?" said his friends.

"Gold," he said, "or I'm a Dutchman."

"Gold!" It seemed incredible. Here in this little Essex parlor was a secret of amazing possibilities and importance.

The specimens were sent to London to be tested. The report that came confirmed Mr. Mansfield's opinion. The sand brought back by the clergyman was what is known as "pay gravel," the washing-down of a gold deposit.

A Hidden "No Man's Land."

The three friends formed a private syndicate, and Mr. Mansfield went out to Spitzbergen to prospect more closely and stake out a claim. He found that a party of Americans were in advance of him, but they entered into friendly relations, and the Americans went further up the desolate coast, where they pegged out their own claim and have now established a small township engaged in coal digging with good results.

The details of what Mr. Mansfield found must still be kept a secret, says Dr. Salter, although it can no longer be hidden that there are the most astonishing indications of gold and an inexhaustible coal supply in this unexplored territory of the Frozen North.

One great difficulty now faced the village pioneers. From whom were they to get the full right to take possession of minerals in this region? No flag of any nation flies over its barren rock. It is a "No Man's Land."

Dr. Salter approached the British Foreign Office and obtained certain advice upon which he is now acting.

Upon Mr. Mansfield's return money was raised with the help of private friends in the neighborhood, pledged to keep the secret, and in these Essex houses there is now a sense of romance which is worth, perhaps, more than the gold already sunk in the venture.

That must be considerable. Dr. Salter did not tell the figures, but he indicated mineral wealth worth hundreds of millions of pounds whose existence must have been known to the old vikings whose barbaric halls were decorated with its splendors. The ancient mounds with their mouldering bones told of grim fights and tragedies of long ago. The doctor, the clergyman and the engineer have become "merchant ventures." They have fitted out several ships, which have already made their way to the Arctic regions, and only last week an iron-built vessel steamed out of the Thames bound for Spitzbergen, with a crew of English, Scottish and Norwegian sailors and miners.

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LOCAL NEWS

—There will be a special meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to Missions at the St. Barnabas rectory on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All members and friends are invited to attend.

—The classes at St. Ann's Convent resume on Tuesday at 9 o'clock, the boarding pupils being expected to arrive on Monday. The Kindergarten and primary school on Blanchard St., re-opens on Monday morning at 9:30.

—The Ladies Aid of First Baptist church are holding a donation party on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, corner of Yates and Quadra streets. Tea will be served and a pleasant social time spent. Plans will be discussed for the winters work.

—"Smoke" Thomas, former Islander pitcher, for whom all Victorians have a kindly place in their hearts, made his debut in big league ball at St. Louis yesterday. The Boston Americans, to whom Thomas was sold, won the game, 6 to 2, and St. Louis scored only three hits.

—Mrs. H. J. Humphrey, of Seattle, will give a talk to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock in the Foresters' Hall on the first four chapters of Revelations, her subject being "Will the church wholly escape the last Great Tribulation?"

—The Victoria Cymrodorion Society will resume its meetings early in September meeting, prizes will be given for the best rendering in Welsh of the hymn, "O Nefol addfwyn Oen," to the tune "Rhosmedre," by a quartette of mixed voices. Copies of music may be obtained by applying to the secretary, P. O. Box 417.

—Joseph Murphy, who has several convictions against him, went to jail this morning for three months on a charge of stealing $3 from J. H. Carruthers yesterday. Murphy took the money from the bar of a local saloon and tried to swallow it. At the police station his jaws had to be pried open before the bills would drop out.

—In the police court this morning Dominique Domiano was remanded until Monday on a charge of having in his possession a tie-pin, knowing the same to have been stolen. It is part of the property stolen from the rooms of W. J. Emily, and in connection with which one Italian is now awaiting trial. The accused lived with the Italians whom the court dealt with last week, and the pin was found in his possession when his shack was searched yesterday.

SENATOR COMEAU DEAD.

Halifax, Aug. 26.—A dispatch from Eelbrook, Yarmouth county, states that Hon. Ambrose H. Comeau died there last evening. He had been ill for some time and was recently told by his physician to take an extended rest. He left his home at Meteghan to spend three months with his brother at Eelbrook, and appeared to be making progress towards regaining his health, but yesterday took a sudden change for the worst. He was born at Meteghan River, N. S., in 1863, and was senior member of the firm of H. H. Comeau & Company. He was appointed to the Senate in 1902.

DEMAND REMOVAL OF CONSTABLES

Fernie Miners Protest Against Action of Provincial Government

Fernie, B. C. Aug. 26.—The mass meeting of miners held here yesterday afternoon passed a resolution condemning the action of the provincial government in stationing constables at Coal Creek, where no disorder of any kind has taken place since the cessation of work and demanding that those constables be removed at once.

The situation remains perfectly quiet, but it is generally believed that the Crow's Nest Pass Company is preparing a new agreement to submit to the individual miners for signature and that notices to open the mines are being printed ready for posting. The mass meeting yesterday looks like a counter move to offset this anticipated action of the mine management.

District No. 10 of Washington has sent $25,000 to the miners of this district and it is understood that this payment will be repeated whenever necessary to keep the miners here from want during the strike.

OBITUARY RECORD.

Cecil V. Pitts, who was born in St. John's, Newfoundland, aged 32 years, died at St. Joseph's hospital yesterday from the effects of a stroke of paralysis sustained 2 months ago. Deceased left Newfoundland with his parents when he was two years old, and went to London, England, where he was educated. He went back to Newfoundland as manager of a whaling station in 1903, where he remained for five years, making an entire success of the station under his management. He then went home to England for a well earned holiday. He came to Victoria in 1908 at the request of the Pacific Whaling Company, as manager of the Kyuquot station, a position he held until his illness. Mr. Pitts was a man of unblemished character, and his valuable services were very much appreciated by his employers. He was also liked and respected by all the employers of the company as well as the many friends who knew him. The deceased has a mother and two brothers in London, England. He was a nephew of the Hon. Jas. Pitts, of St. Johns, Nefoundland, who is one of the wealthiest men in that ancient colony. The funeral will take place from the Victoria Undertaking parlors, where his body now lies, at 9 a. m., Monday. Services will take place at Christ Church 15 minutes later, Rev. Wm. Barton officiating. Burial will be at Ross Bay cemetery.

To walk a mile in Norway, by their method of reckoning, one must cover 12,152 yards.

BILLION FEET OF TIMBER BOUGHT

SAME SYNDICATE IS OPEN TO BUY MORE

Sir John Barker, Bart, and British Capitalists Complete Deal at Cowichan Lake

Twenty-seven miles of land on the western side of Cowichan lake, all heavily timbered, have to-day been acquired by Sir John Barker, Bart., of London, England and six other British capitalists who are interested in the syndicate. All of these gentlemen have been staying in the city and district for the last ten days, and the news of the completion of the arrangements for the purchase of the land was given this morning to the Times by Sir John Barker.

A few days ago Sir John returned, for business reasons, from a visit to the district in which the property in question is situate, and to rigorously inspect which all the members of the syndicate left Victoria last Saturday. The remaining six associates of Sir John remained on the spot completing their investigations until yesterday, and last night again reached the city.

As will be readily understood, a large amount is involved in this purchase, and that its result has been of the most satisfactory nature to the members of the syndicate may be gathered from the remarks made by Sir John Barker this morning.

"We are more than satisfied," he said, "and we are willing to consider any more proposals for timber, either on the Island or on the Mainland of the province. We are not very particular as to what part of the province it may be although we have never seen anything which can compare with the timber in Vancouver Island—and we will give any propositions our best consideration."

Sir John also stated that the twenty-seven miles of timber land his syndicate had purchased contained, in his opinion, the finest belt of timber in the province. He has a personal and intimate knowledge of trees, and he stated to-day that there was no timber in any part of the world like that to be found on this island. The whole party, he said, were agreeably surprised to find that the whole of the timber was even better than it had been reported to them before the purchase was made. It was unquestionably, said Sir John, the best timber he had ever seen.

The careful checking of the original cruise of the large tract of timber in which Sir John and his friends are interested shows that the timber contents of the property had been rather under-estimated. The property lies on the west side of Cowichan lake, and is, perhaps, the most heavily timbered proposition thereabouts, and the party who have just visited the property have returned with their cruisers and carriers, more than pleased with their trip and the results of their inspection of the wonderful fir which they state, forms sixty-six per cent. of the billion feet which their bunch of timber contains.

The purchase of this large tract of timber by an English syndicate necessarily indicates a period of activity in the island.

Sir John Barker—than whom no one is more impressed with the enormous potentialities of the Dominion—is a keen critic of many things seen and experienced during his present trip to Canada. He stated that he had viewed no scenery which could compare with that on Vancouver Island. It was of great interest to him the occasion of his visit, to note that bears, panthers and all kinds of pheasant and other shooting, as well as splendid fishing, were within handy reach of the sportsman, while still he was close to the railway and civilization. He considered Vancouver Island a real sportsman's paradise.

As regards the timber property they had bought, he had personally measured one of the trees, five feet from the ground, found it to be twenty-seven feet in diameter, and on working out quantities he discovered there was wood, board measure, to build a ten-roomed house from that one tree alone.

With all the magnificent timber which British Columbia had to sell, said Sir John, he would very much like to know how anyone could fail to see that reciprocity would be a good thing for the lumber interests. He was enormously impressed with its vast quantity and size, but he confessed he was appalled by the wholesale waste he everywhere saw going on in useless burning of wood. Why not, he said, use it for the making of paper?

The views held by Sir John Barker on reciprocity were reproduced in this paper on Saturday last, and, speaking again on the same subject this morning, he stated that the whole question, from the broad point of view, in his opinion required very little consideration on the part of the people of Canada to enable them to see how eminently safe, sane and even truly Imperial a policy it was.

The question should be looked at in this way, he said: Was reciprocity a good thing for the people of the Dominion? Was it going to allow Canadians to bring in what they wanted to bring in, and to sell what they wanted to sell, on better terms than existed at the present time? That was the whole thing, and he did not see how there could be two opinions on the subject, as it was so very evident that the reciprocity pact must be for the very great benefit of the people of the country. And besides, if they did not like it, after giving it a trial, they were at liberty to give it up at the end of a year.

Accompanied by his friends Sir John goes first to Prince Rupert to look into other business matters, after which the party will go to Vancouver.

—L. Goodacre & Sons were fined $25 in the police court this morning for allowing a chimney to be in such a state that it caught fire.

SAANICH LIBERALS PERFECT WARD TWO

Ralph Smith Speaks at Boleskin Road Wednesday Night —Committees Start Work

That Ralph Smith will have a large majority in Ward 2 of Saanich district was learned last night at St. Mark's school, Boleskin road, where Saanich Liberals of the ward reported for organization, bringing with them glowing reports from every quarter of their territory.

Much canvassing has already been done through Ward 2, and committees to further the work from to-day till September 21, took shape before adjournment was declared at the close of the night's work.

It was a long session and much earnest thrashing out of details finally resulted in the perfection of the canvassing system for the ward. Committeemen in ward sections start out to-day to count up every vote in the ward and see how they stand. They recognize there is some hard work in getting some of the "hard-shells" to see the facts, but an able address by Andrew Few, the chairman, and a general conference talk put things in shape so that the committeemen go out to-day to make sure of every vote for polling day.

They figure the majority for Mr. Smith in Ward 2 will be at least one-third of the total vote of the ward.

The Saanich Liberals announce a public meeting for Wednesday night next, when Hon. Mr. Templeman, Ralph Smith and other speakers have planned to address the electors on the issues of the present campaign.

J. P. Hancock is secretary of the Ward 2 committees.

FOOD PROBING TO COST $10 PER DAY

Oak Bay Real Estate Man is Mayor's Choice as Investigator of Question

Despite doubt cast upon the value of the city undertaking an investigation into the price of foodstuffs in Victoria, expressed by Ald. H. M. Fullerton last night at the city council meeting, the council again decided, after hearing the mayor's and Ald. Langley's representations, that the investigation should go on provided it costs no more than $500. The work will be done by Henry F. Pullen, of Oak Bay, at the rate of $10 per day.

John Dean and Mr. Pullen were originally appointed, Mr. Deans is receiving $25 per day for arbitrating for the city and finds he is too busy to undertake the additional work. The mayor suggested that the work could be carried out by himself and Mr. Pullen, who had no political leanings.

Mayor Morley took opportunity to remark that Mr. Dean is geeting too much for his arbitration work.

The other members of the council differed with his worship, and Ald. Fullerton remarked that while Mr. Dean could save the city many thousand dollars in arbitration proceedings, the $500 appropriated for the foodstuffs enquiry would certainly be lost for good. He could not see any advantages in holding the enquiry.

Courtney street, from Douglas to Quadra, is to be paved with a heavy standard asphalt with curbs and cutters on both sides, and benefited owners will pay four-fifths of the cost.

The council received from Barnard, Robertson & Heisterman plans of the route of the harbor railway. These will be laid before the committee to attend the government conference.

The engineer and Ald. Gleason were appointed to investigate the complaint of the Cement Workers' Union that the city had not yet paid the extra authorized 25 cents per day on wages.

The theft of boulders from the park, reported by Ald. Langley, brought from the mayor the remark that the responsible party has been known for three years. Ald. Okell immediately asked why the offender was not prosecuted, but did not get the information.

PERSONAL.

J. W. Creighton, manager of David Spencer, Ltd., clothing department, with Mrs. Creighton and daughter Gladys, leave Sunday for Vancouver, en route to Toronto and Montreal, via the C. P. R., then to Boston and New York by the Grand Trunk Pacific; also to Pictou, N. S., to visit his mother and old friends whom he left 25 years ago. They will return in about six weeks by the All-Steel route from Chicago.

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A large number of the friends of Miss Alice Taylor gathered at her home, 426 Parry street, last Monday evening and surprised her with a very handsome array of kitchen utensils, after which a very pleasant evening was spent in games and music, Frank Dresser rendering a number of delightful musical selections.

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Capt. and Mrs. Huff, of Alberni, with a party of friends, motored from Alberni to Victoria in their new Russell car, making the trip in ten hours, with a stop of two hours at Nanaimo. Capt. and Mrs. Huff are the guests of Mrs. Lewis Hall, Victoria West, while in the city.

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Mrs. J. Scott, 1147 Fort street, was the hostess at a lawn party on Friday afternoon in honor of the birthday of her little daughter, Mary Evelyn, a number of whose little friends were present and a very enjoyable afternoon was indulged in.

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H. R. Williams, president Chicago & Milwaukee railroad, accompanied by his wife and Gov. C. and Mrs. Williams, arrived in the city this morning.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

At Spokane—First inning: Spokane, 2; Tacoma, 1.

Second inning: Tacoma, 0; Spokane, 1.

Third inning: Tacoma, 1; Spokane, 0.

Batteries—Kraft and Ostdiek; Higgins, Miller, Gordon and Burns.

At Victoria—First inning: Portland, 3; Victoria, 0.

Second inning: Portland, 1; Victoria, 0.

Third inning: No runs.

Fourth inning: Portland, 2; Victoria, 0.

Fifth inning: No runs.

Sixth inning: No runs.

Batteries—Maxmeyer and Moore; Erickson and DeVogt.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Cleveland—

First Game.

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	7	10	2
Cleveland	5	12	2

Batteries—Coombs, Plank and Lapp; Krapp, Mitchell and Fisher.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Brooklyn—

First Game.

	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	4	11	0
Chicago	2	8	2

Batteries—Knetzer and Erwin; G. Smith, Richter and Archer.

At Philadelphia—

	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	1	5	1
Philadelphia	3	7	0

Batteries—Fromme, Keefe, Suggs and McLean, Clarke; Stack and Spencer.

At Boston—

First Game.

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	2	5	1
Boston	1	7	1

Batteries—Harmon and Bliss; Brown and Kling.

TENNIS AND CROQUET.

Finals Played Off Yesterday Afternoon—The Results.

The finals in the handicap tennis and croquet tournaments were played off on the Victoria tennis grounds yesterday afternoon. The feature was the gruelling struggle between I. Arnold and E. E. McCallum in the men's tennis singles, five hard sets being necessary before Mr. Arnold won the match. At the conclusion of the tournaments Mrs. Justice Martin presented the prizes:

The results:

Ladies' singles—Miss Schmitz beat Mrs. Kennedy, 6-2, 6-4.

Ladies' doubles—Mrs. Langton and Miss Schmitz beat Miss Bell and Miss Hind.

Men's singles—I. Arnold beat E. E. McCallum, 2-6, 6-8, 6-3, 6-3, 6-4.

Men's doubles—Carew Martin and Victor McDowell beat Sholto Gillespie and E. E. McCallum, 6-2, 6-2, 6-4.

Mixed doubles—Miss Kennedy and Mr. Kane beat Miss McCallum and E. E. McCallum, 6-2, 4-6, 6-3.

In the croquet tournament Mrs. Bowker, sr., beat Mrs. Martin in the ladies' singles, and in the men's singles Mr. Bowker beat Mr. Kirk.

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FOR SALE—Lot 50x132, Rockland Park, two minutes' walk from proposed Hillside car line, level, fine soil, no rock, fine view of Oak Bay, Mt. Baker and city, price $300; ¼ cash, balance very easy. Apply Box 258, this office. a29

LOST—Gold curb bracelet, on Friday, the 18th. Reward at Times Office. a29

WANTED—By 1st October, by married couple (no family), either nicely furnished house or apartments. Reply P. O. Box 659. s1

WANTED—A waiter, at Steitz Restaurant, 570 Yates street. a29

TWO FURNISHED ROOMS, near cars and 15 minutes' walk from city, James Bay; suit young married couple. Apply Box 247, Times Office. s1

5½ ACRES on Quadra street, which is one of the main trunk roads to Saanich, a site which is hard to excel for a country home; terms easy. P. M. McGregor, care of R. L. Drury. a28

AN IDEAL COUNTRY HOME, just 3 miles from car line, in a splendid locality, all in fruit, with good 7 roomed house and outbuildings. Apply P. M. McGregor, care of R. L. Drury, 918 Government street. a28

PRIOR STREET—Just off Bay street, 50x120 ft. lot, price $1,250, on easy terms. Western Lands, Limited, 1201 Broad St., corner View. a28

Is the word for you if you want any of these

Large Lot on Seaview, $650

Double corner on Graham. Price $2,500

Blackwood, close to Hillside. Price $1,200

James Bay, close to park, car and sea; fine lot $2,800

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WANTED—To rent, 3 or 4 housekeeping rooms or small cottage, furnished or unfurnished; must be reasonable. Apply Box No. 241, Times. a26

A FINE HOME, one block from Oak Bay avenue car line, 6 roomed house, with conservatory, fruit trees, garden, on lot 100x120 feet; this is a bargain for anyone seeking a comfortable home; price $5,000; small cash payment and balance monthly. Western Lands, Limited, corner Broad and View streets. a28

ACREAGE—Close in, 3 acres on Glanford avenue, just outside three-mile circle, $3,000; splendid soil and view; ¼ cash, balance 6, 12, 18 months. British Canadian Securities, Ltd., 909 Government street. a28

$150 CASH secures a fine lot in Burleith Park, size 50x120, price $1,500. Western Lands, Limited, 1201 Broad street, cor. View. a28

FOR SALE—A good family horse, buggy and harness. F. J. Hall, 983 Heywood avenue. s1

WANTED—At once, a lot on Wellington road. Beckett & Major, 1205 Langley street. Telephones 2967 and 2926. a28

LOST—Fox terrier, answers to name "Chips." Finder please return to Thoburn Cottage, Esquimalt road. Anyone found harboring same after this notice will be prosecuted. a29

FURNITURE of 8 room rooming house for sale; furniture in first-class condition; long lease; rooms all rented with first-class roomers; party will sacrifice for cash as they must go North. Apply on the premises, 521 Simcoe street, corner of Medina, city. a29

LABOR DAY VISITORS—Don't forget if you are wanting extra bedsteads, furniture, etc., that Butler's Furniture Store, 734 Pandora street, is the place to save you dollars in purchasing them. Small store. Small prices. a28

COMFORTABLE FRONT ROOM, good board, with English family, can be had by one or two gentlemen. 946 Collinson, off Vancouver. a29

GOOD LIVING—Boarding house for sale, $350; rent very low. Box 259, Times. a29

HOMES OUR SPECIALTY—4 room, new house, cement basement, for $1,600, close to the Gorge. See the City Brokerage, 1319 Douglas street. Easy terms. a28

FOR SALE—Large 8 roomed house and large lot, Fern street, where there is to be a new $40,000 private school built; get in and buy this house for $4,000; cash required only $700, balance just like paying rent, $25 monthly, including interest; this practically means this house for $700. Full particulars, 736 Pandora St. a28

HOMES OUR SPECIALTY—For one week only, a new, 5 room cottage, cement foundation, tubs in basement, etc., all modern conveniences, built in seats, etc., stable in rear, lot 50x125. The City Brokerage, 1319 Douglas street. a28

HOMES OUR SPECIALTY—Beautiful 9 room house, piped for furnace, cement foundation and floor, 2 toilets, stationary tubs in basement, built in sideboard, corner lot 60x120, in James Bay, splendid locality; the cheapest large house we have on our list; we have a photograph of this. The City Brokerage, 1319 Douglas street. a28

FARM FOR SALE—106 acres, close to railway station at Colwood, 6 miles from Victoria, well improved, with two houses, barns, chicken houses, incubator houses, orchard, stream runs through property, fine shooting and fishing and free range for sheep, price $150 per acre. Apply owner, at P. O. Box 878, city. a29

WANTED—Good cook, general, middle of September, for Vancouver, small family, high wages. Phone Mrs. Jones, 1908 Victoria, after 12. s1

FURNISHED BEDROOM TO LET—Suitable for two young men or married couple. 421 Parry street. s1

WANTED—Man for general repair shop, one that can file saws preferred. Apply Box A4228, Times. a28

TENDERS WANTED for the purchase of lots 6, 7 and 8, Esquimalt road, and lots 29, 30 and 31, Stanley street. Offers will be received up to Wednesday next by James Fleming Gardner, 637 Fort street, city. a29

WANTED—Wideawake, energetic salesman to sell our new and winning specialties in their home countries; exceptional profit; get free samples. H. C. Lowrey, Queenstown, Canada. a29

FUR FARMING pays enormous profits. Write to-day for full particulars about this wonderful industry. Fur Farms Co., Kansas City, Mo. a29

FORTUNE TOLD—Past and future, love, marriage, business and all matters of life carefully treated. Send birthdate and 6c. in stamps. Geo. Millet, Box 74, Manchester, N. H.

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TWO NICE LOTS, just off Craigflower road and with a right of way to the Gorge water front, price $1,050 each, terms, 1-3 cash, balance to suit purchaser. Eighteen acres on Sooke river, a snap at $1,000, on terms to suit purchaser. Hinkson Siddall & Son, Grand Theatre Bldg., Government street. s1

MODERN NEW HOME, Victoria West, $4,850, on easy terms; 101 acres, Saanich Arm, house, chicken house, stable, plenty of fresh water and a fine water front, $6,000, on good terms. Hinkson Siddall & Son, Grand Theatre Bldg., Government street. s1

WE MAKE A SPECIALTY in finding what you want. What is it? A home or acreage anywhere on the Island or elsewhere? Hinkson Siddall & Son. s1

WANTED—Boy to learn plumbing trade. Apply A. Sheret, 1114 Blanchard St. a29

ON CAR LINE—New 4 room cottage, $2,000; $400 cash and balance $20 per month. The Home Finders, 620 Johnson street. a28

THE BEST BUY on Princess avenue, near park, nice lot, 50x129, $1,700. The Home Finders, 620 Johnson street. a28

$50 CASH buys a lot 50x120 ft. in Crescentwood, easy terms on balance, $450. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates St. a28

FINLAYSON STREET—Nice level lot, 50x120 ft., $700; 10 per cent. cash, 10 per cent. every 3 months. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street. a28

VICTORIA WEST—On car line, fine view of the water, ½ acre, only $1,600, easy terms. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street. a28

¼ ACRE LOTS on Florence road, nicely treed, $800; good terms. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street. a28

APARTMENT HOUSE, small, on Rithet street, James Bay, lot 60x130 ft., a money maker, $3,750, terms. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street. a28

FINE LOT on Craigflower road, cheap at $1,500. Owner, P. O. Box 147. a29

FOR SALE—3 barber chairs, oak case, bevelled mirrors 14 ft. x 8 ft., side wall oak case with fine bevelled mirrors, barber pole, washstand, jacket heater and two 40-gallon tanks. Apply Marble Baths Shaving Parlors, Sayward Block, Douglas street. a29

PLEASE, LOOK AT THIS FOR A SNAP—Lot 50x120 in block 6, Dean Heights, for $635; cash $110. Union Real Estate Co., 529 Fort street, Phone L2757. a29

LARGE, nicely furnished double room, suitable for two gentlemen or couple, breakfast if desired. 814 Courtney St. Phone R2733. a29

WANTED—5-passenger auto, in exchange for real estate; must be in good repair. Box 249, Times. a28

WANTED—At once, errand boy. Apply 531 Yates street. a28

FOR SALE—5 roomed house, lot 62x113, price $1,700, terms. S. Johnson, Army street, off Burnside. a29

INTELLIGENT BOY WANTED—Must have bicycle; good wages. Apply Angus Campbell & Co., Limited. a21

FOR SALE—10 room house, furnace, every convenience, furnished or unfurnished; price, unfurnished, $5,200, terms. Box 253, Times. a29

TO LET—A nice suite of housekeeping rooms (unfurnished), private front and side entrance, electric light, large yard, sheds, etc., central. Apply 864 Mason street.

WANTED—At once, modern house, about 6 rooms, James Bay, close to car, about $3,500, on terms; owners only. Box 255, Times. a28

BEAUTIFUL LOTS in beautiful subdivision, overlooking the sea, 1 minute to beach, close to station stores, school etc., $150 per lot; $25 cash, balance 1 to 3 years at 6 per cent. McKillican & North, Phone 14, Sidney, Vancouver Island. a28

NORTH SAANICH—5 and 10-acre poultry and fruit farms, overlooking Saanich Arm, improved, at $200 per acre, close to car line and school, easy terms; 20 acres, 145 acres cleared, balance pasture, close to beach, $60,000, easy terms; 160 acres in the highest state of cultivation, with new seven roomed house, barn, chicken, incubator and brooder houses, 300 fruit trees, 7,000 strawberry plants, 350 small fruit, abundance of water, 2 acres of market garden, this property has right of way to Deep Cove, $8,500, terms; beautiful home of seven acres, new 14 roomed house, with every convenience, grounds nicely laid out, with tennis court, etc., situated on Cadboro Channel, $15,000, on very easy terms. Houses, lots, acreage, beach front on Union Bay, Saanich Arm, Deep Cove and Roberts Bay. Insurance written. McKillican & North, take V. & S. R. R. Phone 14, Sidney, Vancouver Island. a21

FOR SALE—Two choice level lots on Belmont avenue, one block from car line, no rock, price each $1,025, terms, or $1,950 cash. Apply owner, P. O. Box 119. a29

SNAP—5 room, new, modern home, large lot, near Fort car, $2,500; only $450 cash, balance very easy at 6 per cent. See E. J. Doble, 918 Government. a26

FOR SALE—228x175 ft., frontage on Hillside Extension, on the new car line, no rock, no swamp, price $6,000. George A. Powers, 829 Humboldt street. a29

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King's road and Blanchard street.
Fernwood road and Gladstone Ave.
Caledonia Ave. and Chambers street.
Belcher street and Cadboro Bay road.
Richmond and Cadboro Bay roads.
Foul Bay and Cadboro Bay roads.
Foul Bay and Oak Bay roads.
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Richmond and Oak Bay roads.
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Oak Bay Junction.
Stanley and Oak Bay avenues.
Yates street and Fernwood road.
Belcher and Moss streets.
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Niagara and Oswego streets.
Niagara and Montreal streets.
St. Lawrence and Montreal streets.
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Michigan and Montreal streets.
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Fort and Cook streets.
Cook street and Pandora Ave.
Vancouver and Yates streets.
Pandora Ave. and Quadra street.
Quadra and Pioneer streets.
Chatham and Government streets.
Store and Discovery streets.
Store and Johnson streets.
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Old Post Office.
Government and Johnson streets.
Government and Fisguard streets.
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Dominion Hotel.
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View and Broad streets.
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FOR SALE—Agreement of sale, $2,000. F. Clark, 1131 Pandora avenue. a26

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FOR SALE—18 acres, of which 6½ are cultivated and 7 slashed, 10 acres are good land, water obtainable, central situation, price $1,500; also 40 acres, of which 5½ in cultivation, 5 slashed, good 7 roomed house, good water, also spring, price $3,500. Apply to Max Enke, Galiano Island. a27

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LOT—On Tolmie avenue, high, good view of city, close to Douglas car line, price only $800, on terms; size 50x135. Dunford & Son, 232-233 Pemberton Block. a26

CORNER LOT—Foul Bay, 1 block from car, $850 for quick sale, terms arranged; corner on Burnside road, ½ acre, could be sub-divided, with commodious house, fruit trees, etc., $6,000; $1,800 cash, balance arranged. Pacific Province Investment Agency, Room C, 620 Johnson St. Phone 2050. a28

LARGE DOUBLE CORNER—Fernwood road and Bay street, 100x129, price only $2,700; this is a splendid corner for a store. Dunford & Son, 232-233 Pemberton Block. a26

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NOTICE TO REAL ESTATE MEN— House No. 3, on Army road, is taken off the market. Skull Johnson. a26

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FOR SALE—2 story frame building, well rented, corner North Park and Cook, lot 50x160, $13,000, terms easy. Apply 1709 Government street. s22

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WE INVITE STENOGRAPHERS to register at our free employment department. We have several good positions. Remington Typewriter Co., Ltd., 216 Pemberton Block. Phone 2914. a26

IF YOU WANT to sell your house, list it with the City Brokerage, 1319 Douglas street, who make a specialty of homes and who photograph all the houses they have for sale. a19 tf

J. F. SILVER, general contractor, cement work, sewerage, etc., has moved from Mason street to Craigflower road, next door to Hill Crest, opposite Arcadia street. Phone 1723. P. O. Box 1411. s7

A NEAT LITTLE STORE for rent. Apply 852 Yates street. a28

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SAM CHONG, Chinese laundry, formerly 1110 Blanchard street, has removed to 729 Fisguard street, in new brick building. Office at 1020 Douglas, cor. Fort, near theatre. I have all clean clothes at office. Please call as before. a31

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AN EXCELLENT BUY for builder, speculator. 180 ft. frontage, 6 roomed house, off Douglas. Particulars, J. Roberts, Post Office Box 1410, or 2421 Douglas street. a28

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FOR SALE—New 5-room home, modern, $2,750; $500 cash, balance $30, including interest; close in; finished street. See McAuley, 648 Cormorant street, near Douglas. a26

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TO LET—3 room cottage, furnished. 2914 Fernwood road. a28

A REAL HOME—2 minutes from the Spring Ridge car, first-class room and board, reasonable terms. 1341 Gladstone avenue. s23

WANTED—Owners to list houses for sale or rent with us. Shaw Real Estate, 802 Pemberton Block. Phone 1094. m19 tf

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APPLICATIONS will be received by the official board of the Metropolitan Methodist church to Sept. 6th for the position of choir leader, at a monthly salary of $40. Envelopes to be endorsed "Musical Committee," and addressed E. W. Whittington, 2614 Bridge street, Victoria. s2

WANTED—Office boy. Apply Dr. Clemence. 1006 Government street. a28

SALESMEN WANTED—We require the services of two or three first-class salesmen; no others need apply; to the right man a splendid opening is assured. Apply Pemberton & Sons, Victoria. s21

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Parents of intending candidates should make application to the Secretary Civil Service Commission, Ottawa, before 15th October next.

Further information can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Department of Naval Service, Ottawa.

Unauthorized publication of this notice will not be paid for.

G. J. DESBARATS,
Deputy Minister of the Naval Service.
Department of the Naval Service,
Ottawa, August 1st, 1911.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the annual meeting of the shareholders of THE PACIFIC NORTHERN & OMINECA RAILWAY COMPANY will be held at the office of Messrs. Pooley, Luxton & Pooley, Chancery Chambers, Langley street, Victoria, B. C., at twelve o'clock, noon, on Wednesday, the 20th day of September, A. D. 1911, for the purpose of receiving a report from the Directors, for the election of Directors, and for the transaction of other business connected with or incident to the undertaking of the Company.

HENRY PHILIPS,
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Victoria, B. C., August 16th, 1911.

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NOTICE

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

Among the Churches

The Outlook.

Resuming Work.—Church work in the city is beginning to take on normal conditions, after the summer vacations. In some of the churches several of the societies have been disorganized during the hot weather, while others have maintained their existence by adapting themselves to the demand of the circumstances. Open air sessions of young peoples' societies, picnics, etc., have worked admirably in keeping the young people together. Advantage has also been made of the delightful summer, to arrange garden and lawn parties with a view to securing help towards various church funds as well as supplying the necessary social programme. With exception of one or two English church clergymen, who are out of the city attending church sessions in London, Ontario, almost all of the pastors are back from their vacations and are busy preparing plans for their winter's work. Rev. T. Carson is just back from an extended tour in eastern Canada while Rev. T. W. Gladstone is feeling much refreshed from his visit to Alaska and Metlakatla.

Admiral Togo's Tour.—To all who evince any interest whatever in the great problem of the world's evangelization, it must have come with a severe shock to read that our friends in the eastern part of the United States, had forgotten just what an opportunity was theirs when Admiral Togo visited them a few days ago, and instead of arranging for a sightseeing trip and an elaborate luncheon on the Lord's day, had arranged something whereby the admiral might have been impressed with the sanctity and solemnity—not morbidness—of that day which is indeed a tower of strength to any people when observed for its rightful purpose. It will come with equal pleasure to know that friends in Vancouver have been wise and strong and good enough to abstain from any such festivities. Maybe whilst in Vancouver the general will see much of Sabbath looseness yet it is a satisfaction to know that Vancouver as a unit does not favor it.

Adult Bible Class Movement.—The growth of the modern organized Bible Class Movement is producing a literature of its own. From the Pilgrim Press, of Boston, comes a volume on "Adult Class Study," by Irving F. Wood, in which the psychology of the class, together with the purpose and principles of adult class study are dealt with. The author believes the adult class is capable of a much wider influence than in the past, and makes many valuable suggestions to that end. The book should be in the adult department of every Sabbath School library, as it sets a new standard of study and service and one that needs to be kept in view if the best results are to be obtained.

ANGLICAN
Christ Church Cathedral.

Sunday School Picnic.—The members of the Christ Church Cathedral Sunday school spent their annual picnic in a splendid manner. The journey was made to Ten-Mile Point via Oak Bay. Rev. William Barton (priest vicar), took charge of the party.

St. James.

Garden Party. — The garden party held by the Ladies' Guild of St. James' church in the spacious grounds of Mrs. M. R. Smith, Dallas road, on Wednesday, was very largely attended, both by parishioners and friends. The day was an ideal one. The garden was prettily decorated, and after dark was illuminated by strings of electric lights and chinese lanterns. The financial results were very satisfactory and gratifying to those who had spared no pains in making the garden party the success it was.

St. Barnabas.

Glee Club.—At the meeting held at the St. Barnabas schoolroom Wednesday evening to organize a glee club, the following officers were elected: President, Rev. E. G. Miller; vice-president, J. B. Barker; secretary-treasurer, C. Shepheard; librarian, F. Hawes; committee of management, the officers and Mrs. Shepheard, W. Scrase and W. D. Eldridge. The next meeting of the club will be held early in the fall.

St. Paul's, Victoria West.

Sunday School Picnic—The postponed Sunday School picnic which had to be deferred on account of the rain storm last Saturday, was held on Monday afternoon last on the rectory lawn. A goodly number participated in the event with much avidity, and thus a pleasant time was made for all. The Sabbath School which has been closed during summer months will reorganise on September 3.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL
Church of Our Lord

Pastor Home.—The pastor, Rev. T. W. Gladstone, will occupy his own pulpit to-morrow, after having spent a very enjoyable vacation in Alaska and northern British Columbia. While away Mr. Gladstone visited his old friend Wm. Duncan, the pioneer missionary to the Indians of the north, and preached through an interpreter to the Indians.

Sunday Services.—The subject of to-morrow morning's discourse will be "The Lord is King; the Multitude of the Isles May be Glad Thereof." The sermon will be reminiscent of the pastor's recent tour. In the evening the series of sermons on "The Life of Moses," will be resumed.

PRESBYTERIAN.
First Church.

Church Session.—A meeting of the church session is called for Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, at which a full attendance is requested.

Picnic.—The Sunday school teachers and officers of the Adult Bible Class are arranging a joint picnic to be held at Goldstream on Labor Day, the first Monday in September. Goldstream affords many advantages to pleasure-seekers and it is hoped the effort spent on arranging the picnic will be well supported.

Winter's Work.—The various organizations in connection with First Presbyterian church are busy seeking to arrange their winter's work with aim of securing best possible results in way of attendance and efficiency. Everything is expected to be in working order about the first week in September.

St. Columba.

Sunday School Picnic.—This event, which was to have taken place last Saturday, was very much interfered with by the inclement weather. However, many indulged in a merry time, but the event will be celebrated to-day by the rest of the party.

Church Anniversary.—Arrangements are almost complete for the celebrating of the church anniversary, which is to be held on Sunday, September 3, when Rev. Principal McKay of Westminster Hall, Vancouver, is expected to preach. These anniversary services will be significant in that they will form an anniversary, also of the ordination and induction of the pastor, Rev. R. A. MacConnell, one year ago. Mr. MacConnell is very popular both as preacher and pastor, and an enthusiastic anniversary will be a worthy tribute to his year's work at Oak Bay.

St. Paul's.

Pastor's Return.—The pastor has just returned from a very helpful vacation and will occupy the pulpit of St. Paul's both morning and evening to-morrow.

CONGREGATIONAL
First Church.

Reception to Pastor.—The pastor, Rev. H. A. Carson, can have no doubt of the place he holds in the hearts of his people, or of the high esteem in which he is regarded, after the reception tendered to him last Monday evening in his own church. The room was tastefully and elaborately decorated, including a floral arch of "Welcome," while every other item of the evening was carefully studied so that no doubt could remain in any mind concerning the pleasure which the pastor's return afforded his people. While the pastor has been enjoying a well earned rest, able and distinguished men have occupied his pulpit, among the most noted being Rev. Principal Garvie of London, England. The congregation has enjoyed them all, but, just as people turn from a lengthened jaunt to find in home all that is most desirable, so the First Congregational church people say their own pastor is best, and they are not afraid to say it; so that they can be heard. At Monday's reception, the Ladies' Aid were responsible for most of the work of decorating, etc. The senior deacon, Mr. A. Howell, presided and among others who took part in the evening's entertainment was Mr. Charles Lancely, Mr. Hutchinson, Miss M. Morrison, Mrs. Parker, while Mr. Davis the organist acted as accompanist and also rendered several instrumental solos.

Coming Work.—During his vacation Mr. Carson has enjoyed a thorough rest and comes back with hopes of a good winter's work. While Mr. Carson did not have the privilege of hearing many of the leading preachers of the day, he came into contact with a movement which in his opinion is bound to have a large influence and following. This movement is one which had a very auspicious beginning in the commercial capital of the Dominion and is known as the "Men and Religion" movement. It has for its aim the winning of an increasing body of men who will take a living interest in all the problems of the church both at home and abroad. It embraces all the intentions of the Laymen's Missionary Movement but also goes further. By this it is not to be understood as rivalling the work of the Laymen's Missionary Movement, but to secure a like zeal, as is manifested by that movement, in every phase of church activity. Mr. Carson was deeply and favorably impressed by the organization and expects to see branches of it on the coast in the very near future.

Choir Picnic—About 30 of the members and friends of the choir spent an enjoyable time at Macauley Point last Wednesday afternoon and evening. The usual diversions were indulged in and in the evening a splendid programme of singing was afforded.

Finance Board—A very important meeting of the Church Finance Committee is called for Tuesday evening next when a report of unusual importance will be submitted. A full board is desired.

Business Meeting Postponed—The church business meeting which should have been held Thursday next will be postponed one week, on account of the pastors absence in Vancouver attending the C. E. Convention which meets there Aug. 30 and 31 and Sept. 1.

METHODIST.
Centennial.

Evening Services.—The time of the Sabbath evening services is to be changed from 7 o'clock to 7.30 p. m., the change to take place forthwith.

W. M. S.—The ladies of the Women's Missionary Auxiliary together with members of the mission band held a very enjoyable outing at the Gorge Park yesterday.

Epworth League.—The Centennial Young People Society was favored with a visit last Monday evening from the kindred organization of the Metropolitan church. A full house was experienced and a lively time indulged in. A kind of impromptu programme was the order of the evening. Questions were distributed to each person and an answer demanded. It was mirth provoking. Mr. Alton of the Centennial League presided.

Financial Statement—A detailed financial statement of the church year has just been issued. A cut of the church brightens up the cover of the pamphlet, while the pastors and officers names together with a Directory of Church Services stands at the foot of the same. The list of regular contributions is a very creditable one, hearty giving being a feature of almost every line. The Centennial church is not overstocked with wealthy men but she can produce a few who support to the tune of five to seven hundred dollars. The grand total of $1816.50 has been raised for missionary purposes, this being high water mark thus far in church's history. Another pleasing feature is the way the organ fund has been tackled and disposed of. Every department of the church's work seems to be sound financially.

James Bay.

Epworth League Anniversary—The anniversary of the inauguration of the Epworth League will be celebrated on Sunday first and continued on Monday evening in a way worthy of such an organization. Rev. R. Newton Powell, ex-president of the B. C. Methodist, will preach at both services on Sunday. On Sunday afternoon Mr. Powell will address the Sunday school, giving interesting details of his work as a Wesleyan missionary in the Bermuda Islands. A very interesting session is expected, and it is the aim of the staff to make to-morrow's attendance a record one.

Concert—On Monday evening a free concert will be given to which every league society in town is invited. Rev. H. T. Rottmann and Rev. R. Newton Powell are also expected to speak. Rev. Mr. Rottmann is the field secretary for the west of the Christian Endeavor Society, and is expected to bring a message of peculiar fitness and helpfulness.

Victoria West.

Epworth League—Instead of the regular indoor meeting last Monday, the members of the league journeyed to Macauley Plains and spent the afternoon and evening in a free and easy style. All kinds of games were participated in, supper provided and stories exchanged around a huge bonfire in the evening. Next Monday evening the league will accept the invitation of the James Bay Epworth League to join in their anniversary celebrations. Members please to note this.

Social Evening—On Wednesday evening next a general church social evening will be spent at the home of Mrs. McDonald, when all are invited to be present. The choir will provide a full programme and a very enjoyable time is anticipated.

Sabbath Services—On Sunday the pastor's subject in the morning will be "Spiritual Power and Success," and in the evening "A Good Young Man."

Metropolitan.

Ladies' Guild—The Ladies' Guild announces their regular monthly meeting for next Friday to be held at the home of Mrs. David Spencer, sr., Moss street. Very important business is to be discussed, and hence every member is asked to be on hand.

Sababth Services—To-morrow the pastor will officiate at both services and will take for his morning's theme, "Jeremiah in a Hopeful Mood," and will discourse in the evening on "The Hypnotic Suggestion of the Streets." At the evening service Mrs. Ticknor, recently arrived from Portsmouth, Eng., will render Liddle's "Abide With Me" in solo. Mrs. Ticknor has been actively engaged in musical circles, taking prominent places in the rendering of our choicest oratorios, and hence should prove quite an attraction for Sunday evening.

BAPTIST.
First Church.

Visiting Preacher—The pulpit of First church will be occupied to-morrow by Rev. J. Willard Litch, M. A., who is the missionary evangelist of the denomination in Western Canada. Rev. Mr. Litch is well and favorably known, having held pastorates at Winnipeg and Vancouver previous to entering his present sphere of work.

Donation Party—In preparation for their annual sale of work the Ladies' Aid Society of the church will hold a donation party on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. There will be no limit to the number or character of articles given at this time.

S. S. Teachers' Meeting—On Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock a very important meeting of the Sunday school teachers and workers with the officers of the organized classes will be held in the Baraca room. It is hoped to have an interesting meeting as there will be important matters up for discussion touching the future welfare of the school.

Mission Circle—The members of the Women's Mission Circle are looking forward to their first meeting after the summer vacation. This meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 5, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and on this occasion the mite boxes distributed some months ago will be opened and the various amounts contained therein will be added to the mission funds.

Visiting Missionaries—On September 4 the Rev. A. A. and Mrs. McLeod, returned missionaries from India, will be in the city. On that afternoon Mrs. McLeod will address the ladies of the different Baptist churches in the city, and in the evening Mr. McLeod will address a mass meeting to be held in First church. Rev. and Mrs. McLeod have had long service in India, and during their latter years were supported by the B. C. Baptist mission board.

Emmanuel.

Sunday Services.—The Sunday evening services during the summer months have been more largely attended than ever in the history of the church, and last Sunday evening again brought together a large congregation when the pastor preached on "The End of the World." On Sunday evening next the subject will be, "Religion in the New Era Now Dawning," a special message to the young men and women of today." All young men and women interested in religious thought should hear this sermon. The subject in the morning will be, "All Conquering Souls."

The Choir.—The choir has resumed its weekly meetings for rehearsal and study on Friday evenings.

B. Y. P. U.—The Young People's Society held a successful meeting last Monday night at Oak Bay, when Rev. Ernest Chave gave a helpful address on "Personality as a Factor in Christian Work." The Young People's Society resume indoor meetings on Monday, September 11.

Church Improvements.—The church intends to install a new heating system and work is to be commenced immediately. The committee in charge of the undertaking are Mr. Thos. Wood ad Mr. Frank Clarke.

SALVATION ARMY

Very successful services were conducted last week end at the Citadel on Broad street by Col. and Mrs. Sweeton. Old friends of Staff Captain Hayes and Captain Knudson a thoroughly enjoyable visit was made, and all who participated in the services speak enthusiastically of the Colonel and his amiable wife.

The Rev. Mr. Tonge of Odessa, Washington, a Presbyterian divine, arrived in the city yesterday to spend a brief vacation. He will assist the local corps on Sunday taking all their services, morning, afternoon and night. An especially good time is expected.

GERMAN LUTHERAN
St. Paul's.

Devotional Meeting—On Monday evening last, the first monthly devotional meeting of the Luther league was held in St. Paul's Lutheran church with a good attendance not only of the young people, but also many of their elders. The meeting was opened by the pastor with hymns, scripture reading and prayer; after a few introductory remarks relative to the aim and object of these meetings, the pastor introduced the speaker, German Consul Loewenberg. The consul's encouraging and stimulating remarks were much appreciated. Miss Papke rendered a vocal solo and a reading. Mr. Schmeltz gave a selection on the violin. The pastor made a stirring appeal to the youth of the church for consecrated effort on their part. With a rising vote of thanks to Consul Loewenberg and the singing of the doxology the meeting closed.

Luther League—The Luther League spent a pleasant social evening on Wednesday at the house of Miss Andernach, Chambers street. After various interesting games and music the company enjoyed some excellent refreshments. A pretty floral decoration of the dining table was carried out in dahlias. At the business meeting called immediately afterward by the president, steps were taken for more active participation in the work of the church by the young people. A number of new members were received bringing the total up to treble the membership at the time of organization 3 months ago.

ROMAN CATHOLIC.
St. Andrew's Cathedral.

Assistant Vicar—Rev. Father Donald MacDonald, of Chelsea, Mass., will arrive shortly to take up his duties as assistant priest to Rev. Father Leterne, of St. Andrew's Cathedral. Father Macdonald was ordained about six weeks ago at the Holy Heart Seminary, Halifax, N. S., by his Grace Archbishop McCarthy.

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